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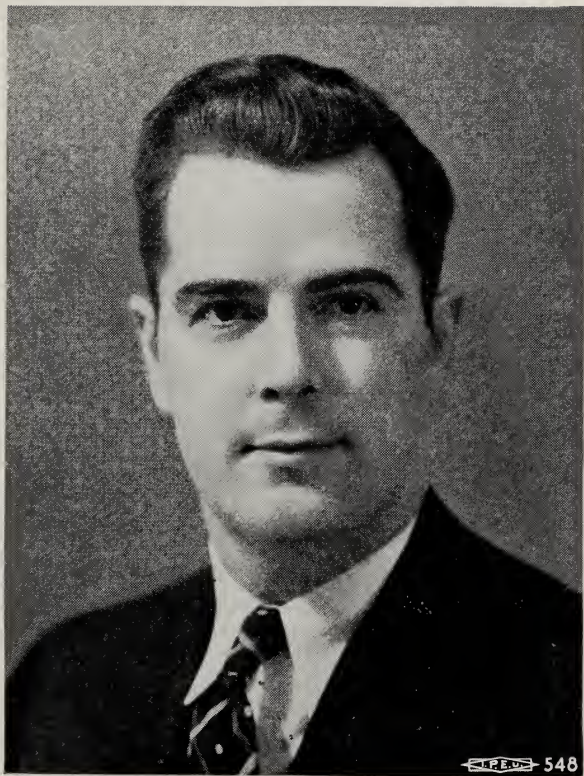
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IN THE HIGH SCHOOL

on

Monday, January 7, 1946 — 8:00 P. M.

Fellow citizens of the City of Somerville:—

The problems of government were not brought closer to solution by the conclusion of the vast and horrible world-wide conflict in which we have been engaged for the past four years.

We face today, in our municipality, a condition not far removed from actual crisis, a condition aggravated by war-time restrictions but conceived in the do-nothing attitude of previous administrations.

We inherited a broken-down machine; inability to obtain necessary materials and skilled workmen compelled us, in the past two years, to confine our efforts to patch work and emergency repairs. The inroads of untrammelled depreciation would have dictated to reasonable men years ago, when the cost was far less than it is today, that replacement of obsolete buildings and equipment was imperative.

The lack of housing today approaches the state of a nationwide scandal.

Progressive communities, in the years preceeding the war, took advantage of Federal Housing opportunities to eliminate run-down, sub-standard dwellings by substituting in their stead, modern housing developments erected and paid for by

the Federal government. Short-sighted officials refused to cooperate with governmental agencies or actually prevented construction. Millions of dollars were allotted Somerville for this purpose through the efforts of Judge—then Congressmau—Arthur D. Healy. Lower East Somerville would have been rehabilitated. We would now have over 1,000 apartments available for returning veterans, had the administration, which held office then, allowed the Federal government to carry out concrete plans for the construction of homes in Somerville.

The allotment of funds ultimately was used elsewhere. We still have our blighted areas of boarded-up, uninhabitable, and disgraceful tenement houses where decent families are compelled to pay rents almost as high as residents of the Federal Housing Developments in Cambridge, Charlestown, South Boston, Everett, and other forward-looking communities.

I have made application, in the name of the City of Somerville, for the construction by the Federal Housing Authorities of at least 1,000 units in our city. That application was filed over one year before the condition became acute. I expect ultimate favorable action. However, the apartments—because of do-nothing officials—are not now available when the need is most urgent. Materials for construction either cannot be obtained, or may be found in most limited quantities. Costs have increased by more than 33% over the years when the Federal government requested Somerville's officials for permission to assist the people of Somerville, and had its offer abruptly rejected.

We must now endeavor, under most unfavorable and vastly more expensive conditions, to obtain decent and adequate shelter for the citizens of our city. I am convinced that, in the immediate future, we will be able to point to real progress in our efforts toward this goal.

The trucks of the sanitary department, used for the collection of ashes, are 15 years old. They are so completely worn out that not one of them had sufficient power to assist in plowing the snow from our streets during recent storms. An average day finds at least one third of them laid up in the garage for repairs. They have been falling apart for at least five years. Because of their age, obsolescence, and general run-down condition, the annual cost of repairs has been more than \$15,000 and the cost of hired trucks, which substitute for them, has averaged better than \$25,000 or a total of \$40,000 each year.

Had an intelligent plan for the replacement of worn-out rolling stock been initiated years ago, this entire department would now be operating with modern vehicles, and the annual expenditure would not have been large. We, this year, are confronted with the necessity of replacing the entire fleet of sanitary trucks, with the necessity of purchasing snow removal and other equipment for the Highway department, and of sewer cleaning equipment for the Engineering Department.

Much of the equipment used by the Fire Department is actually hazardous. Six months ago we were compelled to relegate the antiquated ladder truck at Teele Square to the junk yard, and that fire-house for that entire period has been serviced by a borrowed ladder truck. During the past two years we could not have purchased new equipment. Previous years should have made replacements from time to time. False economy dictated otherwise.

Here, also, extraordinary expenditures must be made if the entire service is not to break down completely.

I am as cognizant as every other resident of our city of the fact that ash collections are frequently behind schedule and that the work of snow removal has often been other than satisfactory. I know that it is human to criticize and that the employees of the Sanitary Department, of the Highway Department and of the Sewer Department have often been criticized for this condition. I want, at this time, to emphasize that—in my opinion—the vast majority of the men of these departments have done an extraordinarily good job with the tools the city has given them. Not they but city officials, who refused to provide them with the equipment necessary, deserve the criticism.

This year — the first year since the war when new equipment will be available — they are going to receive that equipment.

Schools and other public buildings, without one single exception, were allowed to fall into disgraceful and hazardous condition. Heating systems did not function. Roofs leaked. Sanitary facilities for students were appalling. Only a miracle prevented a stark tragedy at the Western Junior High School. Six school buildings were erected during post Civil War days and should have been condemned years ago. Building costs are 35% greater now than they were 5 years ago, 50% greater

than they were 10 years ago. Intelligent utilization of WPA and PWA could have modernized all school buildings at one third of today's cost.

We, however, have no alternative. Money spent to repair antique buildings is generally wasted money. To make some of these old buildings servicable for only a few more years, and to protect the health of our school children, we were compelled during the past two years, to spend in the vicinity of \$200,000. This year we must and shall begin a program of rebuilding this long neglected department of our city government.

Almost every street in Somerville should be resurfaced. Except for patch work nothing has been done since the conclusion of WPA. We may hope that the legislature, recognizing its responsibility to the motorist, will return to the cities and towns for highway repair and construction, funds taken through the gasoline tax. We may hope for but we cannot depend upon, this additional revenue. We ourselves, must provide the money. We ourselves must perform the necessary work. Primarily it is our responsibility and we cannot evade it.

Directed by a group of sincere and qualified men and women, our Recreation Department under the immediate supervision of a nationally recognized expert in this field, has been revitalized and strengthened in its all-important work for the youth of our city. Our high school athletes have been recognized and supported as never before in our city's history.

In the firm belief that a strong body is as essential to our younger citizens as a strong mind, and that one of our foremost obligations is to provide opportunities and facilities for healthy recreation, this administration will continue, as in the past, to do all in its power to encourage and assist this cause which has already paid real dividends to Somerville. Here we have had no problems of juvenile delinquency.

An additional extraordinarily large obligation, inherited from a previous administration, for which we shall be compelled to appropriate this year, is the payment to employees of our city, married women illegally discharged seven years ago. This was not of our doing. It has gone through every court of jurisdiction in our commonwealth. The final conclusion of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts is that we must pay them for the time they were suspended from the municipal payroll.

This may represent more than fifty cents of the 1946 tax rate, a pretty high cost for arrogant disregard of law and the legal rights of civil service employees.

I know that I have not outlined a program consistent with the desires of property owners for continued reduction in our tax rate. We are, however, faced with an immutable fact. Money must be expended now or we face physical bankruptcy. If the Federal and State governments recognize their responsibility to municipal governments, we shall again this year lower the real estate tax. If, even without this assistance, stern economy can achieve the goal, *it will be done*.

No one realizes more than I the disadvantage that a high tax rate places upon a community. We want to bring into Somerville more and larger industrial enterprise. Many have come to Somerville during the past year. Several great national manufacturers are seeking locations within our bounds which may increase our valuation by more than two and one quarter millions of dollars, and employ hundreds of our citizens. They are coming to Somerville because they have faith in our financial condition, and believe that our tax rate will be further reduced annually. I pledge myself to a continuation, during this administration, of the same strict economy, as was practiced since I was first inaugurated in 1944.

Where expenditures are required, they will be made, but the taxpayer insofar as I am able, will receive 100 cents in value for every dollar expended.

During each of the past two years, taxes were lowered. Not one long term bond issue was authorized. Our tax rate last year was \$2.20 less than it was in 1942, despite the fact that salaries paid city employees in 1945 totalled approximately \$450,000 more than in 1942. Had it not been for our firm determination that our foremost obligation to Somerville's taxpayers was to practice sane and prudent economy in every department, the lowest tax rate in ten years could not have been achieved.

It is not easy to reduce municipal expenditures. We are confronted with a vast number of appropriations which must be provided, and which are actually beyond our control. These include employees' salaries, interest and principal payments on the debts of previous years, state and county assessments, welfare and old age payments, veterans' aid and benefits and

the entire appropriation of the school department over which the Board of Aldermen and the Mayor have entirely *no legal jurisdiction*.

In 1944, these "must" expenditures equalled 89% of our total budget. We were thus compelled to start off by appropriating \$5,826,000 for the above. All other expenditures totalled only \$704,000. . . . Here only could we practice economy, these only could we reduce, and these expenditures were for utter essentials . . . for fuel for schools and other public buildings, supplies and equipment, necessary requirements for the ordinary operation of the various departments of our city government.

This year, again, we are compelled to analyze and weigh each request for additional funds. Essential requirements must be met, luxuries must be eliminated, that which must be spent, must be appropriated.

We want a tax reduction. We are going to bend every effort consistent with good government toward that end.

But we are not going to follow the example of some previous administrations, and borrow to reduce the tax rate. We are not going to juggle assessed valuations to reduce the tax rate. We are not going to authorize bond issues for annual and recurring expenses to reduce the tax rate.

Regardless of anything else, Somerville's tax rate, which for the past two years has been an honest tax rate, will for 1946 and 1947 continue to reflect an honest statement of our city's financial condition.

However, on the question of municipal borrowing, I want to make my position clear. Long-term borrowing for the purpose of artificially reducing the tax rate is clearly indefensible. Long-term borrowing to pay for unnecessary luxuries is wrong. Long-term borrowing to provide for commodities or materials which will be worn out years before the debt is paid off cannot be justified at any time.

But the cost of long-lived, and expensive necessities reasonably should be extended over the term of usefulness of the improvement.

In this regard a community does not differ from an individual. A property owner who installs a new heating system in his dwelling, who puts on a new roof and insulates his home against heat and cold, justifiably pays for these permanent and

long-range improvements with borrowed money, a mortgage. For the short-lived improvements and repairs, interior painting, papering, calsomining, he pays out of income because he knows the work will again be necessary in two or three years, and because a long-term mortgage to pay for these latter would mean that in two or three years he would be paying for a dead horse.

This Senior High School was enlarged and remodeled and the gymnasium erected in 1928 by Mayor Conwell at a cost of \$1,200,000. Countless generations of school children will receive the benefits afforded by these buildings. It is reasonable that those generations should pay their share of the cost. That is accomplished by means of a justifiable bond issue.

The Northeastern Junior High School was built in 1923 and the City Hall remodeled in 1924 by Mayor John M. Webster. Those were paid for by justifiable bond issues without which the improvements could not have been obtained. Obviously the impact upon the annual tax rate would have been terrific if an attempt had not been made to charge off these enormous sums out of current revenue. To this type of bond issue, I have no opposition, and this type of bond issue I have in the past supported.

My opposition has been, and will always be registered against waste, extravagance, and needless expenditures of the taxpayers' money, either by bond issue or direct appropriation.

We have re-established the financial base of our city. We are prepared for progressive advance. The future holds great promise for Somerville.

Salary increases, consistent with increased living costs, have been granted all city employees.

Legislation has been enacted guaranteeing better working conditions and providing greater protection than previously afforded.

We have liberalized—and at the same time placed on a pay-as-you-go basis—our employees retirement system, by accepting the provisions of Section 26 to 31 H of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which acceptance has been described as “the most progressive step taken in our civic government within recent years”.

Our program for old age assistance, already recognized as the most liberal assistance program in the history of Somerville, will be extended financially and by the institution of even greater medical facilities in the next two years. While this will undoubtedly increase the cost of our old age assistance program even above the total of \$670,000 paid to recipients last year. I am certain that every taxpayer unites with me in my determination that Somerville's senior citizens must receive from their community all that it has in its power to provide.

In order that complete and adequate medical aid may be available at all times to our returning veterans of this war, and to the veterans of previous wars, a highly qualified Somerville physician will soon be added to the permanent staff of our department of Veterans' Aid and Pensions.

In the belief that Somerville, as soon as material is available, will see considerable activity in the building industry, particularly as it applies to the construction of industrial and business properties, we have substituted for our archaic and obsolete building code a modern and model code of regulations which will increase municipal revenue and guarantee that all future construction will be safe and properly adapted to the purpose for which it is to be utilized.

A natural sequence to this, in the next two years, will be a competent and thorough survey of our entire community, as regards zoning, in order to eliminate the evils of spot zoning, so called, and to provide for changing conditions in various sections of our city.

In the past two years was laid the foundation of a better Somerville. The completion of plans begun in 1944 evolve upon us, Somerville's city government for the ensuing two years. Our responsibilities to the people who chose us to represent them are great. They are responsibilities which will be with us 24 hours a day for each day of 1946 and 1947.

By constant cooperation, and with a sincere determination to perform to the best of our ability the obligations we shall each here tonight assume, with the aid of Divine Providence, be successful.

G. EDWARD BRADLEY,
Mayor.

REPORT OF THE CITY AUDITOR

Office of the City Auditor,

January 31, 1946.

To the Honorable, the Mayor, and the Board of
Aldermen of the City of Somerville,

Gentlemen :—

In accordance with the requirements of Chapter 7, Section 2 of the Revised Ordinances of 1929, I herewith submit a report of the expenditures and receipts during the year 1945, as shown by the records in this office, giving in detail the appropriations, expenditures and the receipts from each source of income. Also a statement of the funded debt and temporary loans, table relative to maturities and interest, a balance sheet showing the assets and liabilities at the close of the fiscal year and a statement of the treasurer's cash.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS MACDONALD,

City Auditor

I hereby Certify that I have verified the Treasurer's cash as of December 31, 1945, by actual count, and have verified by reconciliation of the bank accounts the amounts on deposit in the banks as of the same date.

The total cash balance December 31, 1945 was \$657,026.72 as follows:

Somerville National Bank	\$140,484.29
Somerville National Bank (Welfare)	11,973.86
First National Bank	46,034.64
Second National Bank	40,000.00
United States Trust Company	10,000.00
Merchants National Bank	91,041.10
Webster and Atlas National Bank	74,022.50
State Street Trust Company	67,715.28
National Shawmut Bank	47,151.42
Somerville Trust Co. (Sol. Benefits)	7,983.06
Somerville Trust Co. (Teachers)	119,820.57
Cash in Office	800.00
	\$657,026.72

I further Certify that I have examined the Trust Fund Securities in the hands of the City Treasurer and find them to be correct, as follows:

Charles M. Berry Fund, Contagious Hospital	\$1,000.00
S. Newton Cutler Fund, School	5,322.22
Caroline G. Baker Fund, School	300.00
Sarah Winslow Fox Fund, School	401.38
J. Frank Wellington Fund, School	2,000.00
Arthur A. Smith Fund, School	2,500.00
S. Newton Cutler Fund, Library	1,067.73
Martha R. Hunt, Book Fund, Library	14,105.25
Martha R. Hunt, Art Fund, Library	1,299.77
Isaac Pitman Art Fund, Library	4,689.10
Isaac Pitman Poetry Fund, Library	1,172.28
Francis A. Wilder Children's Fund, Library	100.00
Sarah Lorane Graves Fund Library	400.00
Buffum Memorial Book Fund, Library	1,000.00
Eunice M. Gilmore Fund, Library	2,000.00
Thomas J. Buffum Fund, Library	1,515.00
J. Frank Wellington Fund, Library	4,000.00
Edward C. Booth Fund, Library	3,000.00
Arthur A. Smith Fund, Library	5,000.00
Olive C. Cummings Fund, Welfare	1,751.45
Mary A. Haley Fund, Recreation	3,645.76
	\$56,269.94

And the following Invested Funds:

Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund	\$17,439.38
Retirement System (Cash and Securities)	733,666.95
	\$751,106.33

HELEN E. VARNERIN,

Temporary City Auditor

December 31st, 1945

BALANCE SHEET — Continued

Assets		Liabilities	
Military Aid	1,382.50	Smith-Hughes Fund	4,458.82
Soldiers' Relief	15.00	George-Deen Fund	3,670.22
War Allowance	5,106.87		
Soldiers' Burials	200.00		
Foreclosed Property Rentals..	14.00		
	58,693.08	Revenue Reserved until collected:	
Water Department Accounts ...	61,206.80	Departmental	58,693.08
		Water	61,206.80
		Tax Titles	143,037.62
		Tax Possessions	36,278.34
		Motor Vehicle Excise	8,220.82
			307,436.66
		Sale of Land	8,682.38
		Overlay, Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:	
		Levy 1944	2,652.64
		Levy 1945	17,119.68
		Reserve Fund, Surplus from	
		Overlay	20.00
		Excess and Deficiency	172,041.18
			1,292,746.88

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NON-REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Cash in Offices and Banks.....	5,114.72	
Non-Revenue Appropriations		5,114.72
	<u>5,114.72</u>	<u>5,114.72</u>

NET-FUNDED or FIXED DEBT

Net Bonded Debt	2,450,000.00	
Loans within Statutory Debt Limit:		
Bridge Loan	4,000.00	
High School Loan	133,000.00	
Junior High School Loan ...	221,000.00	
Garage Loan	14,000.00	
Chapter 44—Sewer Loan	175,000.00	
Funding Loan Chap. 315, Acts 1941	39,000.00	586,000.00
Loans outside Statutory Limit:		
Elementary School Loan	6,000.00	
Police Station Loan.....	30,000.00	
Municipal Relief Loans	1,473,000.00	
P.W.A. Sewer Loan	19,000.00	
P.W.A. Water Main Loan	8,000.00	
P.W.A. School Loan	135,000.00	
Chapter 44—Water Main Loan	155,000.00	
Emergency Storm Loan	20,000.00	
Civilian Defense Loan Chap. 487, Acts 1941	18,000.00	1,864,000.00
	<u>2,450,000.00</u>	<u>2,450,000.00</u>

TRUST AND INVESTED FUNDS

Trust Funds:

Cash and Securities

56,269.94

Trust Funds:

Contagious Hospital Funds ... 1,000.00
 School Funds 10,523.60
 Library Funds 39,349.13
 Welfare Funds 1,751.45
 Recreation Funds 3,645.76

Invested Funds:

Investment Funds:
 Cash and Securities

750,267.76
806,537.70

Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund 17,373.97
 Retirement System Funds ... 732,893.79
806,537.70

CASH STATEMENT—DECEMBER 31, 1945

REVENUE

Receipts

General:

Taxes	\$4,568,902.72	
C. of M. Income Tax	402,770.68	
C. of M. Corporation Tax	258,271.98	
C. of M. Meal Tax	18,583.81	
C. of M. Tax Title Interest Refund	658.36	
C. of M. Highway Fund Distribution	102,586.16	
C. of M. In Lieu of Taxes	117.60	
C. of M. Boxing Commission	196.85	
Motor Vehicle Excise	79,482.31	
Licenses and Permits	101,225.96	
Fines and Forfeits	3,456.76	
Grants and Gifts	361,287.77	
Tax Titles Redeemed	52,347.28	
Income, Foreclosed Property	1,325.00	
Tax Possessions	9,650.00	
Sale of Land	1,500.00	
		\$5,962,363.24

Departmental:

General Government	7,660.41	
Protection Persons and Property	1,760.70	
Health and Sanitation	31,975.38	
Highways	464.08	
Welfare	23,506.78	
City Home	5,522.06	
Aid, Dependent Children	47,001.43	
Old Age Assistance	338,825.21	
Veterans Aid and Pensions	17,460.94	
Schools and School Buildings	20,590.40	
Libraries	3,561.77	
Recreation	345.85	
Retirement Deductions	39,381.10	
Teachers Retirement Deductions	58,178.01	
Federal Tax Withholding	348,146.79	
Pay Roll Deductions for the Purchase of War Bonds	11,473.00	
Blue Cross Deductions	10,473.20	
All Other	250.00	
Tailings	1,408.02	
Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund Trans- fer	7,450.00	
		975,435.13
Water Department Accounts	489,684.55	
Interest on Taxes, etc	17,127.78	
Trust Fund Income	785.91	
Refunds	9,950.16	
Temporary Loans	2,400,000.00	
Deposits	4,822.00	
		2,922,370.40

Total Receipts 1945 to date.....	9,860,168.77
Cash Balance January 1, 1945.....	614,519.68
	10,474,688.45

Payments	
Appropriations	\$5,411,905.42
Interest	71,362.72
Reduction Funded Debt	708,000.00
Temporary Loans	2,400,000.00
Income Trust Funds	1,514.96
Tax Possession Refund	500.00
State Taxes and Assessments	537,979.32
County Assessment T. B. Hospital	68,506.76
Federal Grant, Hot Lunch Project	4,807.60
Retirement Deductions	39,381.10
Teachers Retirement Deductions	58,178.01
Pay Roll Deductions for War Bonds	15,258.00
City Clerk's Deposits	1,013.00
School Deposits	125.00
Water Deposits	100.00
Highway Deposits	415.00
Tax Title Loans	17,949.13
Federal Tax Withholding	259,145.43
County Tax 1945	146,153.42
County-Dog Licenses	5,212.40
Refunds	68,040.46
Tailings	40.47
Health-Bottling Licenses	40.00
Blue Cross Deductions	7,147.25
Reimbursements, Old Age Assistance	1.00
Total Payments 1945 to date	9,822,776.45
Cash on Hand December 31, 1945	651,912.00
10,474,688.45	

CASH STATEMENT—DECEMBER 31, 1945

NON-REVENUE

Receipts	
Grants and Gifts	6,000.00
Refunds	4.00
Total Receipts	6,004.00
Balance at Beginning of Period	2,403.89
8,407.89	

CASH STATEMENT—DECEMBER 31, 1945

Payments	
Appropriations	3,293.17
Total Payments	3,293.17
Cash on Hand	5,114.72
8,407.89	

• Summary

Total Revenue Receipts	9,860,168.77
Total Non-Revenue Receipts	6,004.00
	9,866,172.77
Total balance at beginning of period	616,923.57
	10,483,096.34
Total Revenue Payments	9,822,776.45
Total Non-Revenue Payments	3,293.17
	9,826,069.62
Total Balance on Hand	657,026.72
	10,483,096.34

STATEMENT OF OTHER REVENUE ACCOUNTS 1945

	Balance From 1944	Receipts and Transfers	Total Credit	Transfers	Total Expendi- tures	Unliquid- ated En- cumbrances	Unencum- bered Balance to 1946
Other Accounts:							
Income of Trust Funds							
Contagious Hospital							
Charles M. Berry Fund	\$5.95	\$15.00	\$20.95	.....	\$16.81	.....	\$4.14
School:							
S. Newton Cutler Fund	398.80	204.84	603.64	.....	455.12	.....	148.52
Caroline G. Baker Fund	3.00	6.00	9.00	.....	5.90	.....	3.10
Sarah Winslow Fox Fund .....	.....	6.04	6.04	.....	6.04	.....	.....
J. Frank Wellington Fund ..	84.68	30.00	114.68	.....	.....	.....	114.68
Arthur A. Smith Fund .....	.....	62.50	62.50	.....	.....	.....	62.50
Library:							
S. Newton Cutler Fund	241.10	43.62	284.72	.....	.....	.....	284.72
Martha R. Hunt Art Fund ..	366.49	23.48	389.97	.....	.....	.....	389.97
Martha R. Hunt Book Fund..	.....	1,434.24	1,434.24	.....	873.38	.....	560.86
Isaac Pitman Art Fund	562.08	91.14	653.22	.....	44.07	.....	609.15
Isaac Pitman Poetry Fund ..	109.62	22.78	132.40	.....	.....	.....	132.40
Francis A. Wilder Children's Fund	19.24	2.00	21.24	.....	.....	.....	21.24
Sarah Lorane Graves Fund..	72.85	8.00	80.85	.....	.....	.....	80.85
Buffum Memorial Book Fund	210.50	20.00	230.50	.....	.....	.....	230.50
Eunice M. Gilmore Fund	205.51	40.00	245.51	.....	.....	.....	245.51
Thomas J. Buffum Fund	107.53	22.72	130.25	.....	.....	.....	130.25
J. Frank Wellington Library Fund	599.62	60.00	659.62	.....	.....	.....	659.62
Edward C. Booth Fund	217.32	45.00	262.32	.....	.....	.....	262.32
Arthur A. Smith Fund .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Welfare:							
Olive C. Cummings Fund	1,569.47	26.26	1,595.73	.....	50.00	.....	1,545.73
Recreation:							
Mary A. Haley Fund	9.04	54.68	63.72	.....	63.64	.....	.08
Total Income of Trust Funds..	\$4,782.80	\$2,218.30	\$7,001.10	.....	\$1,514.96	.....	\$5,486.14

STATEMENT OF OTHER REVENUE ACCOUNTS 1945

Other Accounts:	Total Credit	Transfers	Total Expendi- tures	Unliquid- ated En- cumbrances	Unencumb- ered Balance to 1946
Smith-Hughes Fund	\$4,458.82	.....	.....	.....	\$4,458.82
George-Deen Fund	3,670.22	.....	.....	.....	3,670.22
Temporary Loans	2,800,000.00	.....	2,400,000.00	.....	400,000.00
Tax Title Loan	18,449.13	.....	18,449.13	.....	.....
Middlesex County Tax	145,745.65	.....	146,153.42	.....	407.77*
Middlesex County Assessment, T. B. Hosp. ..	68,506.76	.....	68,506.76	.....	.....
Middlesex County Dog Licenses	5,245.40	.....	5,212.40	.....	33.00
City Clerk's Deposits	4,355.25	2,913.00	1,013.00	.....	429.25
Water Deposits	100.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....
Highway Deposits	415.00	.....	415.00	.....	.....
School Deposits	561.96	50.00	125.00	.....	386.96
Sale of Foreclosed Property, Deposits	200.00	200.00	.....	.....	.....
Retirement Deductions	39,381.10	.....	39,381.10	.....	.....
Teachers' Retirement Deductions	58,178.01	.....	58,178.01	.....	.....
Pay Roll Deductions for Savings Bonds	16,588.70	58.20	15,258.00	.....	1,272.50
Federal Tax Withholding	348,204.99	145.25	259,145.43	.....	88,914.31
Blue Cross Deductions	10,473.20	.....	7,147.25	.....	3,325.95
Federal Grants, Hot Lunch Project	9,093.35	4,285.75	4,807.60	.....	.....
State Taxes and Assessments 1945	549,316.77	.....	537,979.32	.....	11,337.45
Reimbursements, Old Age Assistance	4,549.30	2,666.10	1.00	.....	1,882.20
Tailings	2,787.06	.....	40.47	.....	2,746.59
Cash Variations	745.34	.....	.....	.....	745.34
Health-Bottling Licenses	80.00	40.00	40.00	.....	.....
Cash Refunds:					
Taxes (Poll)	48.00	.....	48.00	.....	.....
Taxes (Real Estate)	66,816.11	.....	66,816.11	.....	.....
Taxes (Personal)	54.87	.....	54.87	.....	.....
Excise	1,001.98	.....	1,001.98	.....	.....
Water Rates	12.73	.....	12.73	.....	.....
Estimated Receipts	16.07	.....	16.07	.....	.....
Bills Receivable	10.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....
Tax Titles	80.70	.....	80.70	.....	.....
Total Other Accounts	\$4,159,146.47	\$10,358.30	\$3,629,993.35	.....	\$518,794.82
Revenue Totals	\$10,460,025.15	\$10,358.30	\$9,826,209.14	\$56,256.96	\$567,200.75

DETAIL OF ESTIMATED RECEIPTS RECEIVED IN 1945

Excise Taxes:

Motor Vehicle Excise 1945	\$76,174.64
Motor Vehicle Excise 1944	2,881.00
Motor Vehicle Excise 1943	310.20
Motor Vehicle Excise 1942	57.71
Motor Vehicle Excise 1941	21.13
Motor Vehicle Excise 1940	12.07
Motor Vehicle Excise 1939	14.67
Motor Vehicle Excise 1938	4.00
Motor Vehicle Excise 1937	2.00
Motor Vehicle Excise 1935	4.89

79,482.31

From State:

Income Tax	402,770.68
Corporation Tax	258,271.98
Meal Tax	18,583.81
Tax Title Interest Refund	658.36
Highway Fund Distribution	102,586.16
In lieu of Taxes	117.60
Boxing Commission	196.85

783,185.44

Licenses and Permits:

Liquor	77,033.00
Executive	2,429.00
Building	559.00
Plumbing	188.00
Gas	102.00
Motor	4.00
Fire	2,773.50
Police	48.50
Electrical	1,607.00
Licensing	2,033.00
City Clerk Miscellaneous	7,872.50
Health—Bottling	40.00
Milk	1,386.00
Health	66.00
Peddlers	172.00
Marriage	2,583.86

98,897.36

Fines and Forfeits:

Court Fines	3,377.84
Departmental Penalties	128.92

3,506.76

Grants and Gifts:

Vocational Education	36,466.03
County, Dog Licenses	4,594.73
Americanization	1,859.08

42,919.84

All Other:

Income Foreclosed Property	1,325.00
	1,325.00

General Government:

Treasurer—Costs and Fees	3,780.97
Land Court Fees	648.50
Other Fees	3.00
City Clerk Fees	2,804.90
Engineering	93.70
Board of Appeal	230.00
Election Commission	18.25
Planning Board	15.00
Mt. Municipal Buildings:—Telephone	16.09
Damage Police Station	50.00
	7,660.41

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police (bicycle)	114.50
Police, Sale of Junk	6.00
Electrical:—Settlement Claims	828.17
All Other	3.20
Weights and Measures	808.83
	1,760.70

Health and Sanitation:

Health Department	13,563.02
Contagious Hospital	12,144.00
Inspection Milk and Vinegar	1,962.00
Dental Clinic	313.30
Sanitary, Rent Incinerator	400.00
	28,382.32

Highways:

Highway, Sidewalks	464.08
	464.08

City Home:

Sale of Produce	1,112.37
Board	4,409.69
	5,522.06

Welfare:

Miscellaneous:

Cities and Town	7,556.97
State	15,599.26
Welfare Clinic	350.55
	23,506.78

Aid Dependent Children:

State	47,001.43
	47,001.43

Old Age Assistance:

Cities and Towns	9,969.18
State	324,382.13
Reimbursement Old Age Assistance	1,476.60

 335,827.91

Soldiers Benefits:

State Aid	3,955.00
Military Aid	2,487.97
Soldiers' Burials	472.00
Soldiers' Relief	10,545.97

 17,460.94

Schools:

Tuition State Wards	6,968.39
Other Tuition	8,416.36
School Buildings	41.58
Vocational Education	316.80

 15,743.13

Libraries:

Fines, Rentals and Sales	3,561.77
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 3,561.77

Recreation:

Showers	345.85
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Unclassified:

Electrolysis	250.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Water:

Metered Rates 1945	242,917.32
Monthly Rates 1945	188,213.31
Additional Charges	100.00
Service Assessments	220.00
Sale of Materials	15.00
Metered Rates 1944	39,099.22
Monthly Rates 1944	17,513.57
Water Maintenance	666.67
Metered Rates 1943	718.34
Metered Rates 1942	73.94
Metered Rates 1941	12.54
Water Liens	134.64

 489,684.55

Interest:

Excise	112.20
Taxes	8,805.46
Tax Titles	8,210.12

 17,127.78

 Total Estimated Receipts \$2,003,616.42

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Payments

State Tax	\$117,300.00	
Auditing Municipal Accounts	2,050.98	
Charles River Basin Assessment	9,416.44	
Metropolitan Park Assessment	26,398.79	
Metropolitan Sewer Assessment	104,533.94	
Metropolitan Water Assessment	271,153.08	
Boston Metropolitan District Exp.	267.30	
Elevated Railway Rental Deficiency	5,736.86	
Hospital and Home Care for Civil War Veterans	184.07	
Smoke Inspection	937.86	
Health—Bottling Licenses	40.00	
		\$538,019.32

Receipts

Income Tax	\$402,770.68	
Corporation Tax	258,271.98	
Meal Tax	18,583.81	
Tax Title Interest Refund	658.36	
Highway Fund Distribution	102,586.16	
In Lieu of Taxes	117.60	
Boxing Commission	196.85	
Vocational Education	36,466.03	
Americanization	1,859.08	
Peddlers' License	75.00	
Gasoline Tax Refund	40.17	
Welfare Miscellaneous B. R.	15,599.26	
Aid Dependent Children B. R.	47,001.43	
Old Age Assistance B. R.	324,382.13	
State Aid	3,955.00	
Military Aid	2,487.97	
Soldiers' Burials	472.00	
War Allowance	10,540.97	
School, Sight Saving Class	500.00	
Tuition State Wards	6,468.39	
Health Department B. R.	13,558.52	
Contagious Hospital B. R.	3,344.00	
Water Rates	595.42	
City Home B. R.	1,902.66	
		\$1,252,433.47

Federal Grants Received From

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Aid Dependent Children	36,100.10	
Old Age Assistance	271,190.38	
Smith-Hughes Fund	1,984.10	
Vocational Education Defense Workers	2,500.00	
Hot Lunch Project	9,093.35	
		\$320,867.93

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

Payments

County Tax 1945	\$146,153.42	
County Assessment, T. B. Hospital	68,506.76	
County, Dog Licenses	5,212.40	
		\$219,872.58

Receipts

County, Dog Licenses	4,594.73	
		\$4,594.73

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES 1945

Assessed in Taxes 1945:

Real Estate	4,233,223.56	
Personal	304,230.80	
Poll	69,698.00	
		\$4,607,152.36

Estimated Receipts	1,829,802.64	
Overestimates State Taxes	83.21	
		1,829,885.85

Excess Receipts 1945		132,837.98
		\$6,569,876.19

Expenses

Revenue Appropriations	5,538,019.20	
State Taxes and Assessments	549,316.77	
Underestimates State Taxes 1944	177.17	
County Tax	145,745.65	
County Assessment, T. B. Hospital	68,506.76	
Overlay 1939	4.00	
Overlay 1945	108,002.52	
		6,409,772.07

Excess Revenue 1945		160,104.12
		\$6,569,876.19

TEMPORARY LOANS 1945

	Number	Issued	Due	Rate	Amount
First National Bank	391 to 409	February 8th	November 5th, 1945	.324	\$500,000.00
First National Bank	410 to 428	March 22nd	December 13th, 1945	.318	500,000.00
First National Bank	429 to 447	May 10th	November 7th, 1945	.32	500,000.00
First National Bank	448 to 466	June 21st	November 8th, 1945	.31	500,000.00
First National Bank	467 to 477	December 6th	November 6th, 1946	.43	400,000.00
Total Anticipation of Revenue Notes					\$2,400,000.00

FUNDED DEBT

The Funded Debt of the City January 1, 1945 was \$3,175,949.13. No loans were issued in 1945. Maturities paid during the year amount to \$725,949.13 of which \$17,949.13 was on Tax Title Loans and paid the loan in full. The Total bonded debt December 31, 1945 was \$2,450,000.00.

CLASSIFIED DEBT, JANUARY 1, 1945

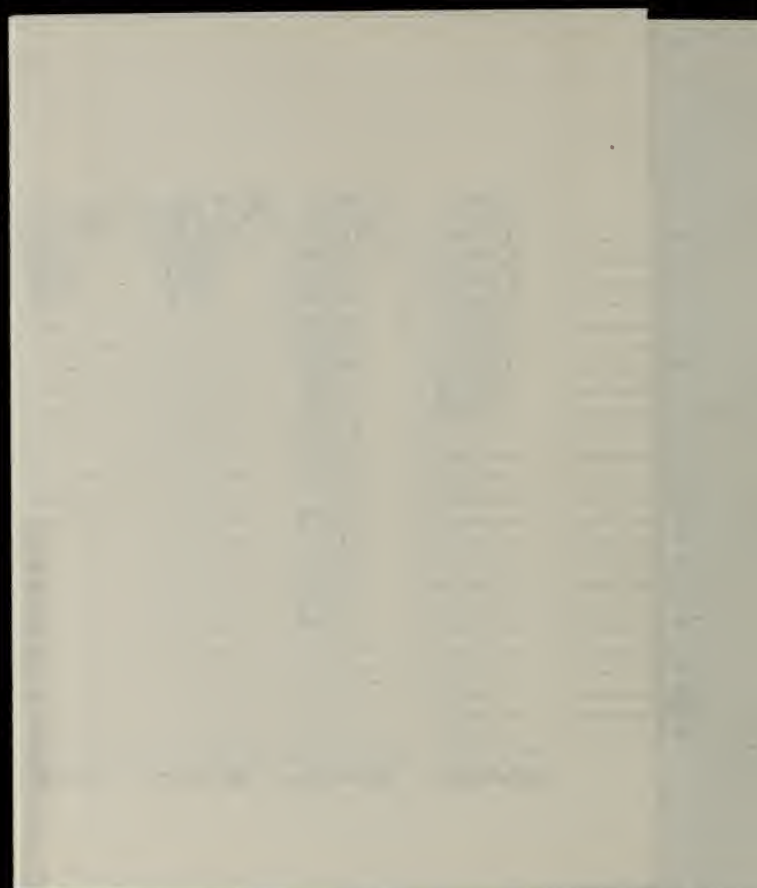
Bridge Loan	\$5,000.00	
High School Loan	194,000.00	
Junior High School Loan	267,000.00	
Garage Loan	16,000.00	
Chapter 44 — Sewer Loan	186,000.00	
Chapter 44 — Highway Loan	25,000.00	
Funding Loan Chap. 315, Acts 1941	78,000.00	
Municipal Relief Loan	50,000.00	
Total Within Limit		\$821,000.00
Tax Title Loan	17,949.13	
Elementary School Loan	12,000.00	
Police Station Loan	45,000.00	
Municipal Relief Loan	1,873,000.00	
P. W. A. Sewer Loan	20,000.00	
P. W. A. Water Main Loan	10,000.00	
P. W. A. School Loan	151,000.00	
Chapter 44—Water Main Loan	175,000.00	
Emergency Storm Loan	25,000.00	
Civilian Defense Loan	26,000.00	
Total Outside Limit		\$2,354,949.13
Total Funded Debt January 1, 1945.....		\$3,175,949.13

MATURITIES REDUCING THE DEBT

Chapter 44 Sewer Loan	11,000.00	
Garage Loan	2,000.00	
Chapter 44 Highway Loan	25,000.00	
Bridge Loan	1,000.00	
Western Junior High School	19,000.00	
Southern Junior High School	27,000.00	
Funding Loan	39,000.00	
High School Loan	61,000.00	
Municipal Relief	50,000.00	
Total Within the Limit		\$235,000.00
Tax Title Loans	17,949.13	
Chapter 44 Water Loan	20,000.00	
Police Station Loan	15,000.00	
P. W. A. School Loan	16,000.00	
P. W. A. Water Loan	2,000.00	
P. W. A. Sewer Loan	1,000.00	
Elementary School Loan	6,000.00	
Civilian Defense Loan	8,000.00	
Emergency Storm Loan	5,000.00	
Municipal Relief Loan	400,000.00	
Total Outside Limit		\$490,949.13
Total Maturities		<u>\$725,949.13</u>
Total Funded Debt December 31st, 1945..		\$2,450,000.00

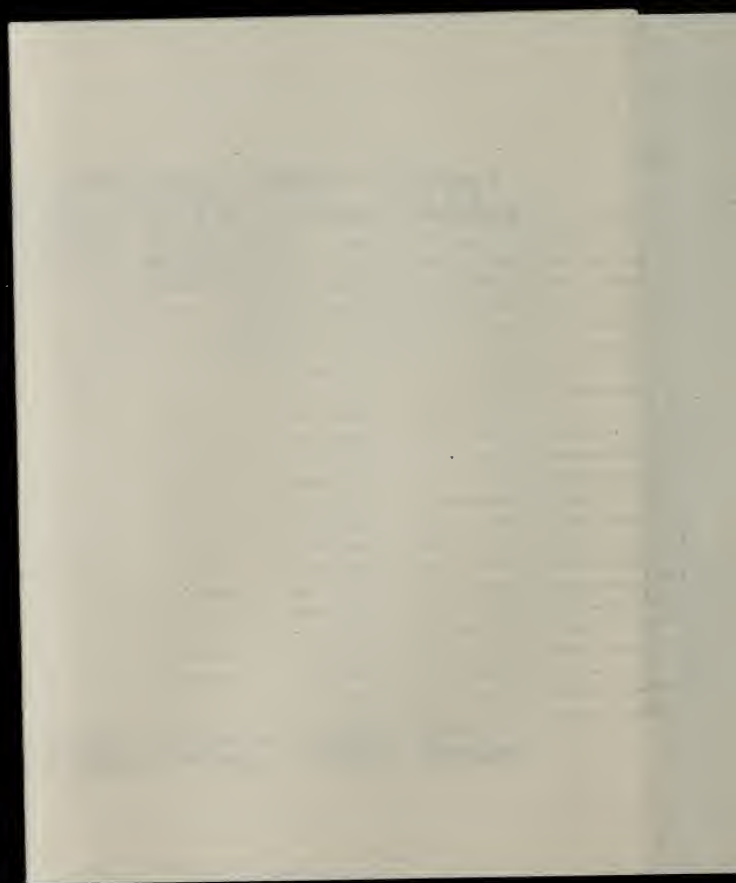
INTEREST REQUIREMENTS ON PRESENT CITY DEBT TO MATURITY

	P. W. A. School	P. W. A. Sewer	P. W. A. Water Mains	Bridge	High School	Funding	Southern Jr. High	Western Jr. High	Elementary School	Municipal Garage	Police Station	Chap. 44 Water	Chap. 44 Sewer	Emergency Storm	Civilian Defense	Municipal Relief	Totals
1946.....	\$4,725.00	\$712.50	\$280.00	\$122.50	\$5,320.00	\$330.00	\$4,967.50	\$3,595.00	\$270.00	\$617.50	\$1,181.25	\$2,387.50	\$3,972.50	\$450.00	\$195.00	\$21,877.50	\$51,003.75
1947.....	4,200.00	675.00	210.00	87.50	2,880.00	.....	3,960.00	2,872.50	.....	522.50	393.75	2,062.50	3,730.00	337.50	90.00	15,405.00	37,426.25
1948.....	3,675.00	637.50	140.00	52.50	440.00	.....	2,970.00	2,167.50	.....	427.50	.....	1,737.50	3,487.50	225.00	32.50	9,907.50	25,900.00
1949.....	3,150.00	600.00	70.00	17.50	.....	.....	1,980.00	1,462.50	.....	332.50	.....	1,412.50	3,245.00	112.50	.....	6,066.25	18,448.75
1950.....	2,625.00	562.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	990.00	757.50	.....	237.50	.....	1,087.50	3,015.00	.....	.....	3,313.75	12,588.75
1951.....	2,100.00	525.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	17.50	52.50	.....	142.50	.....	762.50	2,797.50	.....	.....	1,497.50	7,895.00
1952.....	1,575.00	487.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47.50	.....	468.75	2,580.00	.....	.....	412.50	5,571.25
1953.....	1,050.00	450.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	243.75	2,362.50	.....	.....	.....	4,106.25
1954.....	525.00	412.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	112.50	2,145.00	.....	.....	.....	3,195.00
1955.....	.....	375.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37.50	1,927.50	.....	.....	.....	2,340.00
1956.....	.....	337.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,710.00	.....	.....	.....	2,047.50
1957.....	.....	300.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,492.50	.....	.....	.....	1,792.50
1958.....	.....	262.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,275.00	.....	.....	.....	1,537.50
1959.....	.....	225.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,145.00	.....	.....	.....	1,370.00
1960.....	.....	187.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,015.00	.....	.....	.....	1,202.50
1961.....	.....	150.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	885.00	.....	.....	.....	1,035.00
1962.....	.....	112.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	755.00	.....	.....	.....	867.50
1963.....	.....	75.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	625.00	.....	.....	.....	700.00
1964.....	.....	37.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	522.50	.....	.....	.....	560.00
1965.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	420.00	.....	.....	.....	420.00
1966.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	317.50	.....	.....	.....	317.50
1967.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	215.00	.....	.....	.....	215.00
1968.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	112.50	.....	.....	.....	112.50
1969.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37.50	.....	.....	.....	37.50
	\$23,625.00	\$7,125.00	\$700.00	\$280.00	\$8,640.00	\$330.00	\$14,885.00	\$10,907.50	\$270.00	\$2,327.50	\$1,575.00	\$10,312.50	\$39,790.00	\$1,125.00	\$317.50	\$58,480.00	\$180,690.00



FUNDED DEBT, DECEMBER 31, 1945

	Funding ¾%	Funding 2%	Bridge 3½%	High School 4%	Add. Western Jr. High 4%	Add. Western Jr. High 3½%	Southern Jr. High 4%	Add. Southern Jr. High 3½%	Elementary School 4½%	Garage 4¾%	Police Station 5½%	Municipal Relief 1½%	Municipal Relief 1¼%	Municipal Relief 2¾%	Municipal Relief 2½%	Municipal Relief 2%	Municipal Relief 1¾%	Emergency Storm 2¼%	P. W. A. Sewers 3¾%	P. W. A. Water 3½%	P. W. A. School 3½%	Chap. 44 Water 1½%	Chap. 44 Water 2½%	Chap. 44 Water 1¼%	Chap. 44 Sewer 2½%	Chap. 44 Sewer 1¾%	Chap. 44 Sewer 2¾%	Defense 1¾%	Defense 1¼%	Defense 1%	Municipal Relief 1¼%	Municipal Relief 1¼%	Municipal Relief 1¼%	Municipal Relief 1¼%	Chap. 44 Water 1½%	Totals	
1946.....	\$36,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$61,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$23,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$26,000.00	\$107,000.00	\$6,000.00	\$73,000.00	\$65,000.00	\$62,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$7,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$516,000.00	
1947.....			1,000.00	51,000.00	15,000.00	3,000.00	23,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00	15,000.00	26,000.00	107,000.00	6,000.00	73,000.00	25,000.00	42,000.00	5,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00		4,000.00	2,000.00	20,000.00	15,000.00	7,000.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	507,000.00	
1948.....			1,000.00	11,000.00	15,000.00	3,000.00	23,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00		26,000.00	107,000.00	6,000.00	15,000.00	25,000.00	42,000.00	5,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00	20,000.00	14,000.00	7,000.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	381,000.00	
1949.....			1,000.00		15,000.00	3,000.00	23,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00		26,000.00	106,000.00	6,000.00		3,000.00	21,000.00	5,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00				20,000.00	14,000.00	7,000.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	307,000.00	
1950.....					15,000.00	3,000.00	23,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00		10,000.00	91,000.00			3,000.00			1,000.00		15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	3,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00				20,000.00	14,000.00	6,000.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	240,000.00	
1951.....						3,000.00		1,000.00		2,000.00			51,000.00			3,000.00			1,000.00		15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	3,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00				20,000.00	14,000.00	6,000.00	3,000.00	5,000.00	150,000.00	
1952.....										2,000.00									1,000.00		15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	3,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00				20,000.00	14,000.00	6,000.00	3,000.00	5,000.00	86,000.00	
1953.....																			1,000.00		15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00		3,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00										36,000.00
1954.....																			1,000.00		15,000.00	5,000.00			3,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00										31,000.00
1955.....																			1,000.00			5,000.00			3,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00										15,000.00
1956.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00										11,000.00
1957.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00										11,000.00
1958.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00		2,000.00										5,000.00
1959.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00		2,000.00										6,000.00
1960.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00		2,000.00										6,000.00
1961.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00		2,000.00										6,000.00
1962.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00		2,000.00										5,000.00
1963.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00		2,000.00										5,000.00
1964.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00		1,000.00										5,000.00
1965.....																			1,000.00						3,000.00		1,000.00										4,000.00
1966.....																								3,000.00		1,000.00											4,000.00
1967.....																								3,000.00		1,000.00											4,000.00
1968.....																								3,000.00													3,000.00
1969.....																								3,000.00													3,000.00
	\$36,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$133,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$19,000.00	\$115,000.00	\$12,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$14,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$114,000.00	\$569,000.00	\$24,000.00	\$161,000.00	\$124,000.00	\$167,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$19,000.00	\$8,000.00	\$135,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$40,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$76,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$39,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$6,000.00	\$140,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$47,000.00	\$27,000.00	\$35,000.00	\$2,450,000.00	



TAXES

The total taxable property as of January 1, 1945 was \$116,941.600. The tax rate was fixed at \$38.80 per \$1,000.00 valuation.

City Appropriations	\$5,564,675.06
City Appropriations from Available Funds	542,560.64
Overlay Deficit 1939	4.00
Overlay Current Year 1945	108,002.52
State Tax	117,300.00
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	2,050.98
Hospital or Home Care Civil War Veterans	157.65
Smoke Inspection Service	1,045.50
Additional State Assessments	428,762.64
Additional State Assessments, 1944 Underes- timate	177.17
County Tax	145,745.65
County Assessment, T. B. Hospital	68,506.76

Gross Amount to be Raised	\$6,978,988.57
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Less Estimated Receipts	\$1,829,802.64
1944 Overestimates State Assess- ments	83.21
Available Funds	542,560.64

Total Deductions	2,372,446.49
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Total Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$4,606,542.08
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Number of Polls 34,604 at \$2. ea.	\$69,208.00
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Valuation:

Personal Property	\$7,840,100.	304,195.88
Real Estate	109,101,500.	4,233,138.20

Total Taxes on Polls and prop- erty	\$4,606,542.08
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Appropriations classified under General Headings, were made from Revenue as follows:

General Government	\$236,336.72
Protection Persons and Property	827,428.86
Health and Sanitation	455,340.23
Highways	269,212.38
Welfare	648,268.66
Veterans Aid and Pensions	67,045.67
Education	1,651,016.70
Libraries	76,773.70
Recreation	84,375.26

Compensations and Pensions	220,158.89
Unclassified	133,596.99
Municipal Indebtedness	785,032.75
Water Maintenance	110,088.25
Total Budget Appropriations	\$5,564,675.06
Less Estimated Receipts	1,829,802.64
Raised by Taxation	\$3,734,872.42

MATURITIES ON FUNDED DEBT, 1946

Class of Loan	January	April	July	October	Total
Chapter 44 Sewer	\$4,000.00	.....	.....	\$7,000.00	\$11,000.00
Chapter 44 Water	5,000.00	15,000.00	.....	.....	20,000.00
Garage	2,000.00	.....	.....	.....	2,000.00
Police Station	15,000.00	.....	.....	.....	15,000.00
Defense .....	.....	4,000.00	.....	.....	8,000.00
Municipal Relief	107,000.00	.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	385,000.00
Bridge .....	.....	1,000.00	141,000.00	137,000.00	.....
Western Junior High .....	.....	4,000.00	.....	.....	1,000.00
Southern Junior High .....	.....	3,000.00	.....	15,000.00	19,000.00
Funding .....	.....	.....	23,000.00	.....	26,000.00
P. W. A. Sewer .....	.....	.....	36,000.00	3,000.00	39,000.00
P. W. A. Water .....	.....	.....	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
P. W. A. School .....	.....	.....	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00
High School .....	.....	.....	15,000.00	.....	15,000.00
Emergency Storm .....	.....	.....	61,000.00	.....	61,000.00
Elementary School .....	.....	.....	.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
Totals	\$26,000.00	\$134,000.00	\$281,000.00	\$175,000.00	\$616,000.00

INTEREST REQUIREMENTS ON FUNDED DEBT, 1946

Class of Loan	January	April	July	October	Total
Defense	\$30.00	\$80.00	\$30.00	\$55.00	\$195.00
Funding	135.00	30.00	135.00	30.00	330.00
Municipal Relief	4,032.50	7,325.00	4,032.50	6,487.50	21,877.50
P. W. A. Sewer	356.25	.....	356.25	.....	712.50
Chapter 44 Sewer	950.00	1,061.25	900.00	1,061.25	3,972.50
P. W. A. Water	140.00	.....	140.00	.....	280.00
Chapter 44 Water	262.50	1,012.50	225.00	887.50	2,387.50
Garage	332.50	.....	285.00	.....	617.50
Police Station	787.50	.....	393.75	.....	1,181.25
P. W. A. School	2,362.50	.....	2,362.50	.....	4,725.00
Southern Junior High	2,300.00	210.00	2,300.00	157.50	4,967.50
High School	2,660.00	.....	2,660.00	.....	5,320.00
Emergency Storm .....	.....	225.00	.....	225.00	450.00
Bridge .....	.....	70.00	.....	52.50	122.50
Western Junior High .....	.....	1,832.50	.....	1,762.50	3,595.00
Elementary School .....	.....	135.00	.....	135.00	270.00
Total Interest	\$14,348.75	\$11,981.25	\$13,820.00	\$10,853.75	\$51,003.75

MATURITIES ON FUNDED DEBT (SIX YEARS)

Class of Loan	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	Total
Chapter 44 Sewers	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00	\$11,000.00	\$11,000.00	\$11,000.00	\$69,000.00
Chapter 44 Highway	87,000.00	87,000.00	46,000.00	41,000.00	25,000.00	.....	286,000.00
Bridge	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	6,000.00
City Hall Additions	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	.....	.....	.....	21,000.00
Schoolhouse	43,000.00	43,000.00	15,000.00	.....	.....	.....	101,000.00
High School	61,000.00	61,000.00	61,000.00	61,000.00	61,000.00	61,000.00	366,000.00
Emergency	27,000.00	27,000.00	76,200.00	15,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	101,200.00
Southern Junior High	19,000.00	19,000.00	27,000.00	27,000.00	27,000.00	26,000.00	161,000.00
Western Junior High	7,000.00	6,000.00	19,000.00	19,000.00	19,000.00	19,000.00	114,000.00
Elementary School	2,000.00	2,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	37,000.00
Garage	15,000.00	15,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	12,000.00
Police Station	303,000.00	357,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	90,000.00
Municipal Relief	1,000.00	1,000.00	401,000.00	400,000.00	450,000.00	385,000.00	2,296,000.00
P. W. A. Sewers	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	6,000.00
P. W. A. Water Mains	15,000.00	15,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	12,000.00
P. W. A. Highways	16,000.00	16,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	.....	.....	60,000.00
P. W. A. School	29,000.00	16,000.00	16,000.00	16,000.00	16,000.00	15,000.00	95,000.00
School Equipment	31,000.00	36,000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	29,000.00
Chapter 44 Water Main.	5,000.00	36,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	157,000.00
Emergency Storm	30,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	.....	.....	20,000.00
State Tax Funding	36,000.00	34,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	.....	.....	124,000.00
Funding Loan .....	.....	36,000.00	40,000.00	40,000.00	39,000.00	39,000.00	194,000.00
Civilian Defense .....	.....	2,000.00	4,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	30,000.00
Totals	\$713,000.00	\$784,000.00	\$826,200.00	\$740,000.00	\$708,000.00	\$616,000.00	\$4,387,200.00

INTEREST REQUIREMENTS ON FUNDED DEBT (SIX YEARS)

Class of Loan	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	Total
Chapter 44 Sewers	\$5,291.25	\$5,006.25	\$4,721.25	\$4,457.50	\$4,215.00	\$3,972.50	\$27,663.75
Chapter 44 Highways	4,847.50	2,727.50	1,170.00	535.00	125.00	.....	9,405.00
Bridge	297.50	262.50	227.50	192.50	157.50	122.50	1,260.00
City Hall Additions	892.50	595.00	297.50	.....	.....	.....	1,785.00
Schoolhouse	3,420.00	1,700.00	300.00	.....	.....	.....	5,420.00
High School	17,270.00	15,080.00	12,640.00	10,200.00	7,760.00	5,320.00	68,270.00
Southern Junior High	10,292.50	9,227.50	8,162.50	7,097.50	6,032.50	4,967.50	45,780.00
Western Junior High	7,295.00	6,555.00	5,815.00	5,075.00	4,335.00	3,595.00	32,670.00
Elementary School	1,665.00	1,350.00	1,080.00	810.00	540.00	270.00	5,715.00
Garage	1,092.50	997.50	902.50	807.50	712.50	617.50	5,130.00
Police Station	5,118.75	4,331.25	3,543.75	2,756.25	1,968.75	1,181.25	18,900.00
Municipal Relief	42,588.75	43,800.00	42,852.50	35,847.50	29,057.50	21,877.50	216,023.75
P. W. A. Water Mains	630.00	560.00	490.00	420.00	350.00	280.00	2,730.00
P. W. A. Sewers	900.00	862.50	825.00	787.50	750.00	712.50	4,837.50
P. W. A. Highway	2,100.00	1,575.00	1,050.00	525.00	.....	.....	5,250.00
P. W. A. School	7,525.00	6,965.00	6,405.00	5,845.90	5,285.00	4,725.00	36,750.00
School Equipment	507.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	507.50
Chapter 44 Water Mains	3,613.75	3,935.00	3,562.50	3,137.50	2,712.50	2,387.50	19,348.75
Emergency Storm	1,012.50	900.00	787.50	675.00	562.50	450.00	4,387.50
State Tax Funding	2,400.00	2,160.00	1,200.00	600.00	.....	.....	6,360.00
Funding Loan .....	.....	1,350.00	1,360.00	1,010.00	660.00	330.00	4,710.00
Civilian Defense .....	.....	175.00	252.50	405.00	300.00	195.00	1,327.50
Emergency .....	.....	.....	217.00	50.21	.....	.....	267.21
	\$118,760.00	\$110,115.00	\$97,862.00	\$81,233.96	\$65,523.75	\$51,003.75	\$524,498.46

BORROWING CAPACITY, DECEMBER 31, 1945

Valuation January 1943	\$113,470,800.00	
Valuation December 1943	450.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1943	2,989,080.00	
		\$116,460,330.00
Valuation January 1944	115,794,150.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1944	2,807,340.00	
		118,601,490.00
Valuation January 1945	116,941,600.00	
Valuation December 1945	900.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise 1945	2,629,905.00	
		119,572,405.00
		\$354,634,225.00
Abatements 1943	2,385,637.00	
Abatements Motor Vehicle Excise 1943	53,650.00	
Abatements 1944	2,256,754.00	
Abatements Motor Vehicle Excise 1944	45,260.00	
Abatements 1945	1,775,224.00	
Abatements Motor Vehicle Excise 1945	49,780.00	
		6,566,305.00
		\$348,067,920.00
Average of Three Years		116,022,640.00
Two and one-half per cent		2,900,566.00
Present debt within limit		586,000.00
Borrowing Capacity December 31, 1945		\$2,314,566.00
Maturities 1946:		
January 1	\$26,000.00	
Less Outside Limit	20,000.00	
		6,000.00
April 1	134,000.00	
Less Outside Limit	126,000.00	
		8,000.00
July 1	281,000.00	
Less Outside Limit	161,000.00	
		120,000.00
October 1	175,000.00	
Less Outside Limit	150,000.00	
		25,000.00
		159,000.00
		\$2,473,566.00

TAX TITLES

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	\$218,265.00	
Taxes 1943 Real Estate	629.01	
Taxes 1944 Real Estate	6,145.75	
Taxes 1945 Real Estate	22,833.44	
Tax Title Revenue	503.17	
Water Liens, Taxes 1945	5.00	
Refund	80.70	
		\$248,462.07

Credits:

Cash Collections	52,347.28	
Overlay 1932	553.63	
Overlay 1933	1,179.10	
Overlay 1934	1,759.41	
Overlay 1935	1,783.71	
Overlay 1936	2,028.20	
Overlay 1937	2,010.91	
Overlay 1938	1,849.84	
Overlay 1939	4,308.81	
Overlay 1940	4,348.88	
Overlay 1941	4,488.20	
Overlay 1942	5,476.64	
Overlay 1943	4,175.63	
Overlay 1944	3,063.25	
Overlay 1945	2,398.32	
Tax Title Revenue	3,123.64	
Tax Possessions	10,529.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	143,037.62	
		\$248,462.07

TAX POSSESSIONS

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	53,745.68	
Tax Title Revenue	705.29	
Tax Possession Revenue	1,353.31	
Tax Titles	10,529.00	
		\$66,333.28

Credits:

Cash Collections	8,950.00	
Tax Title Revenue	11,290.46	
Tax Possessions Revenue	9,614.48	
Sale of Foreclosed Property Deposits	200.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	36,278.34	
		\$66,333.28

TAILINGS

Debits:

Revenue Cash	40.47	
Balance to 1946 Account	2,746.59	
		\$2,787.06

Credits:

Balance from 1944 Account	1,379.04	
Cash Receipts	1,408.02	
		\$2,787.06

OVERLAY 1932

Debits:

Tax Titles	553.63	553.63
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Credits:

Balance to 1946 Account	553.63	553.63
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OVERLAY 1933

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	12,054.00	
Tax Titles	1,179.10	
Reserve Fund, Surplus Overlay	8.00	
		13,241.10

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	12,054.00	
Taxes 1933 Polls	8.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	1,179.10	
		13,241.10

OVERLAY 1934

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	56.00	
Tax Titles	1,759.41	
Taxes 1934 Poll	4.00	
		1,819.41

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	56.00	
Taxes 1934 Poll	4.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	1,759.41	
		1,819.41

OVERLAY 1935

Debits:

Taxes 1935 Polls	44.00	
Reserve Fund, Surplus Overlay	2.00	
Tax Titles	1,783.71	
		1,829.71

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	44.00	
Taxes 1935 Poll	2.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	1,783.71	
		1,829.71

OVERLAY 1936

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	3,937.77	
Taxes 1936 Poll	22.00	
Taxes 1936 Real Estate	41.90	
Tax Titles	2,028.20	
		6,029.87

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	3,957.77	
Taxes 1936 Poll	2.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	2,070.10	
		<u>6,029.87</u>

OVERLAY 1937

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	13,143.37	
Taxes 1937 Polls	19.00	
Tax Titles	2,010.91	
		<u>15,173.28</u>

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	13,162.37	
Balance to 1946 Account	2,010.91	
		<u>15,173.28</u>

OVERLAY 1938

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	12,058.73	
Reserve Fund, Surplus Overlay	2.00	
Taxes 1938 Poll	4.00	
Tax Titles	1,849.84	
		<u>13,914.57</u>

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	12,190.43	
Taxes 1938 Poll	6.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	1,718.14	
		<u>13,914.57</u>

OVERLAY 1939

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	12,957.92	
Tax Titles	4,308.81	
Taxes 1939 Poll	18.00	
Taxes 1939 Real Estate	450.54	
		<u>17,735.27</u>

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	13,005.03	
Revenue	4.00	
Taxes 1939 Poll	2.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	4,724.24	
		<u>17,735.27</u>

OVERLAY 1940

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	12,495.76	
Taxes 1940 Polls	126.00	
Reserve Fund, Surplus Overlays	4.00	
Tax Titles	4,348.88	
		<u>16,974.64</u>

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	12,808.11	
Taxes 1940 Polls	8.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	4,158.53	
		16,974.64

OVERLAY 1941

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	28,204.29	
Taxes 1941 Polls	6.00	
Tax Titles	4,488.20	
		32,698.49

Credits:

Excess and Deficiency	28,503.55	
Balance to 1946 Account	4,194.94	
		32,698.49

OVERLAY 1942

Debits:

Balance from 1944 Account	20,681.37	
Taxes 1942 Polls	372.00	
Tax Titles	5,476.64	
Taxes 1942 Real Estate	6,871.60	
Reserve Fund, Surplus Overlay	4.00	
		33,405.61

Credits:

Reserve Fund, Surplus Overlay	6,050.49	
Excess and Deficiency	15,261.49	
Taxes 1942 Poll	56.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	12,037.63	
		33,405.61

OVERLAY 1943

Debits:

Taxes 1943 Real Estate	16,147.95	
Taxes 1943 Personal	1,115.04	
Taxes 1943 Poll	3,472.00	
Tax Titles	4,175.63	
		24,910.62

Credits:

Balance from 1944 Account	14,252.42	
Taxes 1943 Poll	4.00	
Balance to 1946 Account	10,654.20	
		24,910.62

OVERLAY 1944

Debits:

Taxes 1944 Polls	2,602.00	
Taxes 1944 Real Estate	38,096.41	
Taxes 1944 Personal	48.36	
Tax Titles	2,684.43	
Balance to 1946 Account	2,652.64	
		46,083.84

Credits:

Balance from 1944 Account	46,083.84	
		46,083.84

OVERLAY 1945

Debits:

Taxes 1945 Polls	21,410.00	
Taxes 1945 Real Estate	58,175.20	
Taxes 1945 Personal	8,299.32	
Tax Titles	2,398.32	
Balance to 1946 Account	17,719.68	
		108,002.52

Credits:

Revenue	108,002.52	
		108,002.52

RESERVE FUND SURPLUS FROM OVERLAYS

Debits:

Overlay Deficit 1942	6,050.49	
Balance to 1946 Account	20.00	
		6,070.49

Credits:

Balance from 1944 Account	6,050.49	
Overlay 1933 to 1942	20.00	
		6,070.49

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY

Debits:

Tax Title Revenue	29,688.90	
Revenue Appropriations	289,887.90	
Taxes 1933 Polls	10.00	
Taxes 1935 Polls	12.00	
Taxes 1936 Polls	4.00	
Taxes 1938 Polls	2.00	
Taxes 1939 Polls	38.00	
Taxes 1940 Polls	4.00	
Taxes 1941 Personal	.03	
Taxes 1942 Poll	4.00	
C. of M. Old Age Assistance Abatements	9,581.00	
Overlay Deficit 1933	12,054.00	
Overlay Deficit 1934	56.00	
Overlay Deficit 1935	44.00	
Overlay Deficit 1936	3,957.77	
Overlay Deficit 1937	13,162.37	
Overlay Deficit 1938	12,190.43	
Overlay Deficit 1939	13,005.03	
Overlay Deficit 1940	12,808.11	
Overlay Deficit 1941	28,503.55	
Overlay Deficit 1942	15,261.49	
Balance to 1946 Account	172,041.18	
		612,315.76

Credits:

Balance from 1944 Account	368,576.42	
Cash Refunds, Prior Years	690.23	
Tax Title Revenue	79,482.68	
Tax Possession Revenue	1,790.00	
Sale of Land	1,500.00	
Taxes 1943 Real Estate	.52	
Taxes 1943 and 1944 Real Estate	157.79	
Taxes 1942 Polls	2.00	
Taxes 1941 Polls	6.00	
Taxes 1940 Polls	2.00	
Taxes 1935 Polls	4.00	
Revenue	160,104.12	
		612,315.76

CLASSIFICATION OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

Taxes:

Levy 1945:	
Poll	\$41,262.00
Personal	259,073.84
Real Estate	3,935,867.77

Levy 1944:	
Poll	740.00
Personal	37,720.22
Real Estate	288,435.22

Levy 1943:	
Poll	294.00
Personal	214.12
Real Estate	5,283.07

Levy 1942:	
Poll	6.00

Levy 1941:	
Personal	2.00

Levy 1939:	
Real Estate	4.48

Total Taxes	\$4,568,902.72
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Tax Titles	52,347.28
Tax Possessions	9,650.00
Income Foreclosed Property	1,325.00
Sale of Real Estate	1,500.00

Total	\$64,822.28
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Deposits:

City Clerk	3,749.00
Highway	415.00
Water	100.00
School	358.00
Foreclosed Property	200.00

Total Deposits	\$4,822.00
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Motor Vehicle Excise:

Levy 1945	\$76,174.64
Levy 1944	2,881.00
Levy 1943	310.20
Levy 1942	57.71
Levy 1941	21.13

Levy 1940	12.07
Levy 1939	14.67
Levy 1938	4.00
Levy 1937	2.00
Levy 1935	4.89

Total Motor Vehicle Excise	<u>\$79,482.31</u>
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From State:

Income Tax	\$402,770.68
Corporation Tax	258,271.98
Meal Tax	18,583.81
Tax Title Interest Refund	658.36
Highway Fund Distribution	102,586.16
In Lieu of Taxes	117.60
Boxing Commission	196.85

Total State	<u>\$783,185.44</u>
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Licenses and Permits:

Executive	2,429.00
Liquor	77,033.00
Building	559.00
Plumbing	188.00
Gas	102.00
Motor	4.00
Fire	2,773.50
Police	48.50
Electrical	1,607.00
Licensing	2,033.00
City Clerk Miscellaneous	4,959.50
Dog Licenses	5,201.60
Health—Bottling License	80.00
Milk	1,386.00
Health Department	66.00
Pedlers License	172.00
Marriage	2,583.86

Total Licenses and Permits	<u>\$101,225.96</u>
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Fines and Forfeits:

Court Fines	3,377.84
Departmental Penalties	78.92

Total Fines and Forfeits	<u>\$3,456.76</u>
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Grants and Gifts:

Vocational Education	36,466.03
Aid Dependent Children	36,100.10
Old Age Assistance	271,190.38
County, Dog Licenses	4,594.73
Smith-Hughes Fund	1,984.10
Vocational Education Defense Workers (Federal)	2,500.00
Americanization	1,859.08
Federal Grant, Hot Lunch Project	9,093.35
Post War Project, Prescott School	3,500.00

Total Grants and Gifts	<u><u>\$367,287.77</u></u>
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COMMERCIAL REVENUE, DEPARTMENTAL

General Government:

Treasurer—Costs and Fees	\$3,780.97
Land Court Fees	648.50
All Other	3.00
Board of Appeal	230.00
City Clerk	2,804.90
Engineering	93.70
Election Commission	18.25
Planning Board	15.00
Maintenance Municipal Buildings	66.09

Protection Persons and Property:

Police—Bicycle Registration	114.50
Sale Junk	6.00
Electrical, Settlement Claims	831.37
Weights and Measures	808.83

Health and Sanitation:

Health Department	13,563.02
Contagious Hospital	12,144.00
Inspection Milk	1,962.00
Dental Clinic	313.30
Indemnification Fire Losses—Incinerator	3,593.06
Rent Incinerator	400.00

Highways:

Highways, Sidewalks and Curbing	464.08
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City Home:

Sale of Produce	1,112.37
Board	4,409.69

Welfare:

Cities and Towns	7,556.97
State	15,599.26
Welfare Clinic—Reimbursement Prescriptions	350.55

Aid Dependent Children:

State	47,001.43
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Old Age Assistance:

Cities and Towns	9,969.18
State	324,382.13
Reimbursement, Old Age Assistance	4,473.90

Veterans' Aid and Pensions:

State Aid	3,955.00
Military Aid	2,487.97
Soldiers Burials	472.00
War Allowance	10,540.97
Soldiers Relief	5.00

Schools:

C. of M. Sight Saving Class	500.00
Tuition, State Wards	6,468.39
Other Tuition	8,416.36
School Buildings	41.58
Vocational Education	316.80
Hot Lunch Project	4,847.27

Libraries:

Fines, Rentals and Sales	3,561.77
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Recreation:

Showers	345.85
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Unclassified:

Federal Tax Withholding	\$348,146.79
Deductions United States Savings Bonds	11,473.00
Blue Cross Deductions	10,473.20
Retirement Deductions	39,381.10
Teachers Retirement Deductions	58,178.01
Electrolysis	250.00
Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund Transfer	7,450.00
Tailings	1,408.02

Total Departmental Revenue \$975,435.13

Water:

Metered Rates 1945	242,917.32
Commercial 1945	188,213.31
Metered Rates, 1944	39,099.22
Commercial 1944	17,513.57
Metered Rates 1943	718.34
Metered Rates 1942	73.94
Metered Rates 1941	12.54
Service Assessments	220.00
Additional Charges	100.00
Water Maintenance	666.67
Water Liens	134.64
Sales of Materials	15.00

Total Public Service Enterprises \$489,684.55

Interest:

Excise	112.20
Taxes	8,805.46
Tax Titles	8,210.12

Total Interest \$17,127.78

Income Trust Funds:

Contagious Hospital Trust Funds	15.00
School Trust Funds	309.38
Library Trust Funds	380.59
Welfare Trust Funds	26.26
Recreation Trust Funds	54.68

Total Income Trust Funds \$785.91

Municipal Indebtedness:

Temporary Loans	\$2,400,000.00
Total Municipal Indebtedness	\$2,400,000.00

Refunds:

Revenue Appropriations	8,154.18
Veterans Aid and Pensions	1,105.75
Excess and Deficiency	690.23
Non-Revenue Appropriations	4.00
Total Refunds	\$9,954.16
Total Receipts	\$9,866.172.77

EXPENDITURES

General Government		Expenses	Outlays
Board of Aldermen Expenses			
Personal Service:			
Salaries of members	\$5,500.00		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Books, postage and supplies	484.87		
Printing and advertising.....	1,400.25		
Refreshments	2,792.67		
Flowers	105.00		
Framing and engraving	94.00		
Bonds	10.00		
Desk Sets	378.00		
Service of court reporter	221.00		
All other	4.70		
	<u>\$5,490.49</u>		
		\$10,990.49	
Clerk of Committees			
Personal Service:			
Clerk	2,849.40		
Assistant Clerk	2,400.00		
Assistant at Board Meeting	700.00		
	<u>5,949.40</u>		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Books, postage and supplies	122.49		
Auto maintenance	500.00		
	<u>622.49</u>		
		6,571.89	
Executive Department			
Personal Service:			
Mayor	7,000.00		
Secretaries and Stenographers	8,483.21		
	<u>15,483.21</u>		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Books, postage and supplies	653.99		
Printing and advertising	134.00		
Telephone	106.05		
Contingent expenses	1,654.75		
All other	17.22		
	<u>2,566.01</u>		
		18,049.22	

Auditing Department

Personal Service:

Auditor	4,359.31
Bookkeeper and Clerks	10,543.50
	14,902.81

Ordinary Maintenance:

Books, postage and supplies	284.74
Printing	418.42
Binding	127.00
Telephone	54.19
Maintenance of equipment	85.31
Auto Maintenance	137.50
All other	4.50
	1,111.66

16,014.47

Treasury Department

Personal Service:

Treasurer-Collector	4,702.31
Deputy Collector	3,393.06
Cashiers	5,095.30
Custodian of Seized Property	2,191.00
Paymaster	571.67
Clerks	35,396.90
	51,350.24

Ordinary Maintenance:

Books, postage and supplies	4,941.79
Printing and advertising	891.51
Binding	173.50
Bonds	1,546.11
Rental and maintenance of equipment	346.63
Telephone	90.31
Disbursements	185.27
All other	60.52
	8,235.64

Equipment:

Typewriters	312.81

59,898.69

Assessors' Department

Personal Service:

Chairman	3,750.00
Assessors	6,800.00
Clerks	12,577.88
	23,127.88

Carried forward

\$23,127.88

		Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward		\$23,127.88	
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Books, postage and supplies.....	473.09		
Printing and advertising	277.71		
Rental and maintenance of equipment	59.20		
Binding	52.92		
Disbursements	86.95		
Title Work	498.53		
All other	22.00		
	<u>1,470.40</u>		
Special Items:			
Investigations and appraisals....	4,485.00		
	<u>29,083.28</u>		
Licensing Commission			
Personal Service:			
Commissioners (3)	900.00		
Clerk	1,565.00		
	<u>2,465.00</u>		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Printing, postage and supplies..	379.08		
Auto Maintenance	200.00		
Commissioners' expense	37.45		
All other	33.42		
	<u>649.95</u>		
		3,114.95	
Certification of Notes and Bonds			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Cost of Certifying	1,100.00		
	<u>1,100.00</u>		
		1,100.00	
City Clerk's Department			
Personal Service:			
City Clerk	4,750.00		
Assistant City Clerk	3,250.00		
Bookkeeper and Clerks	10,927.86		
	<u>18,927.86</u>		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Books, postage and supplies	516.99		
Printing and advertising	344.25		
Binding	26.00		
Telephone	70.76		
Bonds	52.50		
All other	23.25		
	<u>1,033.75</u>		
		19,961.61	

		Expenses	Outlays
Law Department			
Personal Service:			
City Solicitor	3,750.00		
Assistant City Solicitor	1,980.00		
Clerical Services	2,035.33		
	<u>7,765.33</u>		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Books, postage and supplies	337.21		
Telephone	12.50		
Photos	7.50		
Auto Maintenance	200.00		
Fees	42.30		
All other	34.60		
	<u>634.11</u>		
		8,399.44	
Land Court Proceedings on Tax Titles and Recording Fees			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Recording	135.86		
	<u>135.86</u>		
		135.86	
City Messenger's			
Personal Service:			
Messenger	3,350.00		
Assistant Messenger	1,989.83		
	<u>5,339.83</u>		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Auto Maintenance	1,200.00		
	<u>1,200.00</u>		
		6,539.83	
Engineering Department			
Personal Service:			
City Engineer	4,450.00		
Assistants	5,317.60		
Bookkeeper and Clerk	3,599.50		
	<u>13,367.10</u>		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Printing, postage and supplies	346.72		
Auto Maintenance	500.00		
Maintenance office equipment ..	33.34		
Telephone	55.27		
	<u>935.33</u>		
Equipment:			
Adding Machine	54.72		
	<u>54.72</u>		
		14,357.15	

Public Buildings Department
Commissioner of Public Buildings

Expenses

Outlays

Personal Service:

Commissioner	4,500.00
Building Inspector	2,618.77
Inspector of Plumbing and Gas	2,738.75
Clerks	4,199.92
Inspector of Elevators	250.00

14,307.44

Ordinary Maintenance:

Books, postage and supplies	292.16
Printing and advertising	18.00
Maintenance of equipment	25.50
Auto maintenance	1,120.00
Telephone	64.24

1,519.90

Special Items:

Revising building code	500.00
Printing building code	1,000.00
Stenographic work — building code	112.50

1,612.50

17,439.84

Public Buildings Department
Maintenance Municipal Buildings

Personal Service:

Janitors	7,266.96
Telephone operators	3,249.85

10,516.81

Labor	1,638.14
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Ordinary Maintenance:

Light	1,297.66
Furniture and furnishings	169.27
Janitors' supplies	479.75
Electrical and building repairs	902.07
Plumbing and heating repairs	94.05
Rental of water coolers	396.00
Hardware and materials	178.45
Telephones	3,882.59
Flags and poles	331.37
Insurance	239.80
Contract—Treasury Vault	35.00
All other	38.00

8,044.01

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		Expenses	Outlays
Public Buildings Department			
Maintenance Municipal Garage			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Light	158.86		
		153.86	
City Planning Board			
Personal Service:			
Clerical Services	100.00		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Supplies and postage	2.43		
All other	15.00		
		117.43	
Board of Appeal			
Personal Service:			
Members of Board	980.00		
Secretary	250.00		
Assistant Secretary	946.00		
	2,176.00		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Printing and advertising	36.00		
Supplies and postage	100.65		
	136.65	2,312.65	

ELECTION EXPENSES

Board of Election Commissioners			
Personal Service:			
Chairman	3,700.00		
Commissioners (3)	1,500.00		
Clerks	8,638.07		
Registrars for confined voters..	200.00		
	14,038.07		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Postage and supplies	1,350.00		
Printing and advertising	5,404.83		
Refreshments	122.47		
Posting, car hire and trucking	496.50		
Repairs to ballot boxes	25.00		
	7,398.80	21,436.87	

	Expenses	Outlays
Pay of Election Officers		
Personal Service:		
Wardens and Clerks	2,128.00	
Inspectors	3,701.00	
Extra Clerks	2,040.00	
	7,869.00	
Public Buildings Department		
Maintenance Polling Places		
Personal Service:		
Janitors' service	419.40	
Labor	1,201.24	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Rent	340.00	
Light	16.30	
Repairs to building	151.15	
Hardware and materials	156.92	
Lumber	188.58	
	852.95	
	2,473.59	

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department

Personal Service:	
Chief	2,375.00
Captains	13,500.00
Lieutenants	12,500.00
Sergeants	25,827.74
Patrolmen	275,502.75
Matrons	1,971.62
	331,677.11

Ordinary Maintenance:

Maintenance of Equipment:	
Auto Maintenance	6,086.07
Equipment for men	438.07
Shooting range	12.50
Police Signal	160.00
Other Expenses:	
Printing, postage and supplies	912.87
Maintenance office equipment..	52.50
Care of prisoners	58.82
Telephone	1,725.06
Laundry	72.05
Garage supplies	285.45
Maintenance of traffic stands....	4.74
Travel and disbursements	72.69

Carried forward \$341,557.93

		Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward		\$341,557.93	
Reimbursements for injuries ..	1,282.40		
Gasoline and oil	3,148.22		
Filing cabinet	120.70		
Mimeograph	106.50		
All other	23.23		
	14,561.87		
		346,238.98	
Public Buildings Department			
Maintenance Police Buildings			
Personal Service:			
Janitors	4,593.31		
Labor	463.64		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Fuel	1,987.14		
Light	1,333.94		
Janitors' Supplies	196.83		
Furnishings	59.00		
Hardware and materials	52.54		
Telephone	61.19		
Heating and plumbing repairs	2,214.59		
Electrical and building repairs	1,552.87		
Water and ice	149.53		
Insurance	310.80		
All other	7.84		
	7,926.27		
		12,983.22	
Fire Department			
Personal Services:			
Chief Engineer	4,375.00		
Deputy Chiefs	7,350.00		
District Chiefs	6,750.00		
Captains and master mechanic	28,125.00		
Lieutenants	34,500.00		
Firemen	335,584.35		
	416,684.35		
Ordinary Maintenance			
Maintenance of Equipment:			
Apparatus and equipment	3,847.45		
Tires and tubes	833.07		
Hose	1,243.16		
Equipment for men	586.63		
Hardware, tools, etc.	309.56		
Other Expenses:			
Printing, postage and supplies..	352.70		
Telephone	1,123.97		
Janitors' supplies	728.51		
Carried forward		\$425,709.40	

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$425,709.40	
Laundry	669.04	
Furnishings	201.10	
Grease and oil	281.85	
Gasoline	2,384.00	
Insurance	18.00	
First Aid Supplies	70.24	
Reimbursements	815.54	
Maintenance office equipment ..	60.75	
Express and all other	18.65	
	<u>13,544.22</u>	
	430,228.57	
Public Buildings Department		
Maintenance Fire Buildings		
Labor	2,856.53	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Fuel	4,640.80	
Light	3,918.08	
Janitors' supplies	321.66	
Electrical and building repairs..	4,725.95	
Heating and plumbing repairs	1,977.51	
Furniture and furnishings	215.00	
Hardware and materials	2,337.83	
Flags and poles	87.51	
	<u>18,224.34</u>	
	21,080.87	
Weights and Measures		
Personal Service:		
Sealer	3,100.00	
Assistants	5,500.00	
	<u>8,600.00</u>	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Printing, postage and supplies..	46.47	
Auto maintenance	654.37	
Dies, tools, etc.	36.88	
	<u>737.72</u>	
	9,337.72	
Electrical Department		
Personal Service:		
Commissioner	3,550.00	
Assistant Inspectors	5,758.16	
Fire Alarm Operators	15,850.05	
Radio Operators	10,887.15	
Traffic Men	5,085.30	
Assistants	12,893.19	
Clerk	1,807.58	
	<u>55,831.43</u>	
Carried forward	\$55,831.43	

		Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward		\$55,831.43	
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Fire Alarm System	863.04		
Police Signal System	206.80		
Radio	504.17		
Auto Maintenance	300.00		
Maintenance of trucks	1,498.01		
Telephone	202.31		
Printing, postage and supplies..	258.58		
Other materials and supplies	224.15		
All other	25.87		
	4,082.93		
Special Items:			
Fire Box—Richardson & Hinckley Sts.	65.00		
Nos. 14-8 Conductor B & L Cable	184.07		
Fire Alarm Batteries	518.70		
I. C. S. Batteries	812.25		
	1,580.02		
		61,494.38	
Public Buildings Department			
Maintenance Electrical Dept. Bldgs.			
Personal Service:			
Janitor	2,262.32		
Labor	55.08		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Fuel	414.91		
Light	13.91		
Electrical and building repairs..	560.46		
Heating and plumbing repairs..	51.60		
Rental of water cooler	62.25		
Furniture and furnishings	55.00		
All other	1.84		
	1,159.97		
		3,477.37	
Civilian Defense			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Printing and office supplies	41.75		
Telephone	579.52		
Electricity	258.50		
Hardware and materials	24.90		
All other	94.50		
		999.17	
Rifle Practice			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Use of range	236.57		
Target marking	178.52		
		415.09	

FORESTRY

	Expenses	Outlays
Highway, Suppression of Moths		
Labor	2,286.73	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Insecticides	455.20	
	2,741.93	
Highway Department, Care of Trees		
Labor	5,672.44	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Tools and equipment	109.39	
Printing	12.00	
Trees	19.50	
	140.89	
	5,813.33	

HEALTH

Health Department	
Personal Service:	
Executive Secretary	2,293.10
Clerks	2,812.19
Medical Inspector and Bacteri-	
ologist	3,175.00
Acting Medical Inspector	105.00
Technician (½ salary)	1,250.00
Health Nurses	5,300.52
	14,935.81
Ordinary Maintenance:	
Printing, postage and supplies	310.57
Carfares and phone calls	202.75
Equipment and laboratory sup-	
plies	28.40
Laundry	24.00
Inoculation of dogs	73.30
Infantile Paralysis	1,057.80
Diphtheria Immunization	221.24
Ear Clinic	307.50
Express and all other	43.62
Quarantine and Contagious Diseases:	
Cities and Towns	1,369.50
Other Institutions	397.50
Tuberculosis:	
Cities and Towns	598.00
State	4,685.00
Middlesex Sanitarium	31,332.00
Other Institutions	511.15
Carried forward	\$56,098.14

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$56,098.14	
Medical attendance	65.00	
Board and Room	282.50	
All other	9.70	
	41,519.53	
Special Item:		
Court execution on 1937 bill	2,485.50	
	58,940.84	
City Clerk's Department		
Vital Statistics		
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Reporting births	304.75	
Reporting deaths	190.75	
Printing, postage and supplies..	551.11	
Binding	80.00	
Repairs to equipment	26.60	
	1,153.21	
Contagious Hospital		
Personal Service:		
Superintendent	1,800.00	
Nurses and other help	15,959.00	
	17,759.00	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Drugs and medicine	315.68	
Hospital supplies	231.97	
Bedding, dry goods and clothing	352.99	
Groceries and provisions	5,505.46	
Household supplies	511.69	
Telephone	167.97	
Electrical power	202.43	
Ambulance maintenance	530.55	
Advertising and office supplies	398.74	
All other	29.50	
	8,246.98	
Equipment:		
Hospital equipment	248.54	
	26,254.52	
Public Buildings Department		
Maintenance Contagious Hospital		
Personal Service:		
Orderly	434.28	
Labor	534.69	
Carried forward	\$968.97	

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$968.97	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Fuel	912.63	
Light and power	624.57	
Furniture and furnishings	100.50	
Heating and plumbing repairs..	619.64	
Hardware and materials	166.98	
Electrical and building repairs..	1,324.20	
Janitors' supplies	32.17	
Insurance	115.00	
All other	7.84	
	<u>3,903.53</u>	
		4,872.50

Inspection of Animals and Provisions

Personal Service:		
Inspector and Assistant	6,275.00	
Veterinarian	1,437.50	
Court execution on 1944 salaries	314.98	
	<u>8,027.48</u>	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Carfares	168.00	
	<u></u>	
		8,195.48

Inspection of Milk and Vinegar

Personal Service:		
Inspector	3,000.00	
Technician (½ salary)	1,250.00	
Clerk (½ salary)	1,180.12	
Court execution on 1944 salary	131.40	
	<u>5,561.52</u>	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Printing, postage and supplies..	57.70	
Laboratory equipment and supplies	126.00	
Auto maintenance	300.00	
Dairy Inspections	23.50	
	<u>507.20</u>	
		6,068.72

Division of Dental Hygiene

Personal Service:		
Inspectors and Assistants	15,295.00	
	<u></u>	
Carried forward		\$15,295.00

		Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward		\$15,295.00	
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Doctors' supplies	756.22		
Laundry	252.83		
Printing, postage and supplies..	68.50		
Repairs to equipment	19.40		
	<u>1,096.95</u>		
		16,391.95	
Inspection of School Children			
Personal Service:			
Inspectors and Assistants	1,839.32		
Nurses	6,900.00		
	<u>8,739.32</u>		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Printing	5.00		
Carfares	141.50		
	<u>146.50</u>		
		8,885.82	
Contagious Hospital Trust Fund			
Charles M. Berry Fund			
Toys	16.81		
	<u>16.81</u>		
		16.81	

SANITATION

Engineering Department
Sewers Maintenance

Labor	26,355.33		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Trucks Maintenance	1,469.04		
Telephone	60.75		
Tools, equipment and repairs ..	1,408.70		
Materials and supplies	535.25		
Care of Medford Street Pump ..	85.93		
Gas and oil	1,040.22		
Castings	256.20		
	<u>4,856.09</u>		
Special Item:			
Construction of manhole Med-			
ford St.	663.30		
Underpass	28.00		
	<u>691.30</u>		
		31,902.72	

**Public Buildings Department
Maintenance Sewer Buildings**

Labor	50.92	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Fuel	241.77	
Heating and plumbing repairs ..	304.53	
All other	11.28	
	557.58	608.50

Sanitary Department

Personal Service:		
Superintendent	3,750.00	
Bookkeeper	1,979.73	
	5,729.73	
Labor	213,520.46	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Printing, postage and supplies ..	62.46	
Auto maintenance	400.00	
Telephone	89.42	
Ashes, Rubbish and Garbage:		
Hired trucks	36,955.75	
Trucks maintenance and sup- plies	27,384.06	
Gas and oil	6,088.56	
Rental and maintenance of dump	17,965.57	
Materials and supplies	548.47	
All other	35.00	
	89,529.29	
Special Item:		
Water on dump	100.00	
		308,879.48

**Public Buildings Department
Maintenance Sanitary Bldgs.**

Labor	29.17	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Fuel	384.02	
Light	.75	
Hardware and materials	115.65	
Insurance	61.20	
Plumbing and heating repairs ..	330.60	
Repairs to building	23.10	
	915.32	
Carried forward		\$944.49

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$944.49	
Special Item:		
Repairs after fire	3,593.06	
		4,537.55
Highways, Street Cleaning		
Labor	27,965.47	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Maintenance of equipment	2,807.85	
Equipment:		
Street Sweepers	7,700.00	
		38,473.32

HIGHWAYS

Highway Maintenance

Personal Service:

Commissioner	4,250.00
Assistant to Commissioner	3,223.38
Bookkeeper and Clerk	4,219.71

11,693.09

Labor	111,473.81
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Ordinary Maintenance:

Printing, postage and supplies ..	23.50
Telephone	296.10
Tools, equipment and repairs	900.53
Trucks, maintenance and supplies	5,455.90
Broken stone, brick, cement	1,502.27
Lumber	527.60
Resurfacing materials	6,349.85
Fuel	20.00
Oil and waste	132.06
Hardware and paint	1,204.71
Gasoline and motor oil	3,429.22
Repairs to fences	96.00
Insurance	80.98
Rent of land and track	27.00
Electricity	7.50
Signs	68.00
All other	79.60

20,200.82

Equipment:

Tractor	1,850.00
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145,217.72

		Expenses	Outlays
Sidewalks Maintenance			
Labor	8,667.53		
		8,667.53	
Snow Removal			
Labor	8,539.27		
Sand, cinders, salt, etc.	2,005.00		
Tools, equipment and repairs ..	912.92		
Rental of trucks, plows, etc.	21,120.99		
Gas and oil	768.17		
Repairs to trucks, plows, etc. ..	1,046.63		
All other	12.35		
Rent of dump	50.00		
		34,455.33	
Street Lighting			
Ordinary Maintenance			
Electricity	89,256.91		
Spot lights	79.95		
Supplies	337.38		
Replace poles	192.97		
New manhole	125.00		
		89,992.21	
Traffic Light Maintenance			
Ordinary Maintenance			
Electricity	1,925.90		
Supplies	510.92		
Repairs	161.43		
All other	3.11		
		2,601.36	
Public Buildings Department			
Maintenance Highway Buildings			
Labor	257.58		
Ordinary Maintenance			
Fuel	1,018.64		
Light	295.74		
Hardware and materials	62.25		
Repairs to building	429.61		
Insurance	549.24		
All other	7.84		
		2,363.32	
		2,620.90	

WELFARE

		Expenses	Outlays
Welfare Miscellaneous			
Personal Service:			
Members of Board	1,950.00		
Agent	3,970.73		
Clerks	4,883.20		
Social Workers	14,197.91		
City Physician	2,950.00		
Assistant City Physician	3,137.50		
Nurse	1,930.15		
Pharmacist	35.63		
Dental and Medical Assistant ..	1,020.00		
	34,075.12		
Ordinary Maintenance			
Printing, postage and supplies ..	219.66		
Carfares and expenses	210.66		
Telephone	405.82		
Auto maintenance	1,588.66		
Maintenance of equipment	69.85		
Truck hire	4,349.00		
Ambulance service	50.00		
All other	8.33		
Outside Relief:			
Cash pay rolls	56,147.67		
Board and care	4,906.81		
Groceries and provisions	4,118.00		
Housekeeper's services	342.85		
Dry goods and clothing	1,036.20		
Medicine and medical attend- ance	2,979.42		
Doctor's supplies	2,099.38		
Somerville Hospital	5,761.75		
Central Hospital	1,440.00		
State Institutions	11,380.72		
Other Institutions	3,443.07		
Laundry	91.87		
Burials	610.00		
Relief by Cities and Towns:			
Cities	10,834.25		
Towns	2,953.74		
	115,047.71		
		149,122.83	
Aid to Dependent Children			
Personal Service:			
Social Workers	1,915.17		
Bookkeeper	2,182.02		
	4,097.19		
Carried forward		\$4,097.19	

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$4,097.19	
Ordinary Maintenance		
Printing, postage and supplies ..	345.72	
Carfares	14.70	
Auto maintenance	190.00	
Cash pay rolls	127,547.60	
Use of Social Service Index	22.06	
All other	15.75	
	<u>128,135.83</u>	
		132,233.02
Federal Grant—Aid to Dependent Children		
Cash pay rolls	32,285.23	
	<u>32,285.23</u>	
		32,285.23
Federal Grant—Aid to Dependent Children Administration		
Social workers	2,341.04	
Bookkeeper	1,485.58	
	<u>3,826.62</u>	
		3,826.62
Old Age Assistance		
Personal Service:		
Clerks	4,506.56	
Social workers	14,274.93	
	<u>18,781.49</u>	
Ordinary Maintenance		
Printing, postage and supplies ..	1,569.70	
Carfares and expenses	669.25	
Telephone	51.24	
Maintenance of equipment	90.30	
Auto maintenance	125.00	
Out of State Travel	13.35	
All other	5.00	
Outside Relief:		
Assistance	405,405.55	
Relief by Cities and Towns	19,388.13	
	<u>427,317.52</u>	
		446,099.01
Federal Grant—Old Age Assistance		
Assistance	262,404.95	
	<u>262,404.95</u>	
		262,404.95

		Expenses	Outlays
Federal Grant—Old Age Assistance Administration			
Clerks	2,218.08		
Social workers	6,567.35		
		8,785.43	
Welfare—City Home			
Personal Service:			
Warden and Matron	3,350.00		
Labor:			
Domestic Labor	7,452.45		
Farm Labor	2,260.00		
	9,712.45		
Ordinary Maintenance			
Office supplies and newspapers	40.95		
Disbursements	150.20		
Maintenance of trucks	217.95		
Groceries and provisions	4,531.78		
Bedding, dry goods and clothing	34.50		
Medicine and medical attendance	148.34		
Barbers' services	121.50		
Household furnishings and supplies	294.94		
Farm equipment and supplies ..	100.64		
Live stock	77.50		
Hay, grain and feed	2,365.03		
Seed, fertilizer and plants	193.83		
Telephone	93.58		
Power	202.41		
All other	12.84		
	8,585.99		
		21,648.44	
Public Buildings Department			
Maintenance City Home Buildings			
Labor	893.83		
Ordinary Maintenance			
Fuel	2,269.97		
Light and power	780.96		
Furniture and furnishings	19.66		
Heating and plumbing repairs ..	670.96		
Hardware and materials	205.24		
Insurance	107.90		
Electrical and building repairs..	58.67		
Rebuild washing machine	227.00		
All other	7.84		
	4,348.20		
Carried forward		\$5,242.03	

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$5,242.03	
Equipment:		
Repairs and Equipment	1,390.99	
		6,633.02
Welfare Department Trust Fund—		
Cummings Fund		
Hearing Aid	50.00	
		50.00

VETERAN'S AID & PENSIONS

Soldiers' Benefits

Personal Service:

Agent	3,550.00
Clerks	4,209.86
Investigators	15,295.32
	23,055.18

Ordinary Maintenance:

Printing, postage and supplies ..	952.86
Auto maintenance	2,217.03
Photo record dryer	156.50
	3,326.39

26,381.57

Soldiers' Relief

Ordinary Maintenance:

Cash Aid	16,421.78
Medicine and Medical attend- ance	1,360.58
Hospital care	3,505.30
Groceries and Provisions	89.00
Fuel	555.71
Board and care	993.34
Relief by Cities and Towns	81.60
All other	44.50

23,051.81

Military Aid

Ordinary Maintenance:

Cash Aid	3,330.00
Hospital Care	263.50

3,593.50

		Expenses	Outlays
State Aid			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Cash Aid	2,180.00		
Medical services	40.00		
		2,220.00	
Soldiers' Burials			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Burials	200.00		
		200.00	
War Allowance			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Cash Aid	2,593.50		
Hospital care	2,596.73		
Medical attention	1,109.50		
Board and care	283.10		
Relief by other cities	41.00		
All other	36.04		
		6,659.87	
Public Buildings Department			
Maintenance Veterans' Aid & Pensions			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Rent	2,000.00		
Telephone	116.87		
Light	25.74		
Electricity	61.36		
Heating and plumbing repairs ..	42.01		
Electrical and building repairs..	264.75		
Hardware and materials	49.48		
Water and ice	72.94		
		2,633.15	
Special Item:			
Facilities at K. of C. Building ..	979.29		
		3,612.44	

EDUCATION**School Contingent**

Personal Service:

Superintendent	7,070.00
Assistant Superintendent	4,570.00
Clerks	19,586.94
Attendance Officer	2,930.00
Other employees	420.28

 34,577.22

Carried forward

\$34,577.22

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$34,577.22	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Printing, postage and supplies ..	846.96	
Telephone	3,035.98	
All other and express	114.79	
Auto Maintenance:		
Attendance Officer	300.00	
Elementary Supervisor	120.00	
Visiting Teacher	300.00	
Special Class Supervisor	120.00	
Visitor Crippled Children	120.00	
Lip Reading Teacher	120.00	
Textbooks and Supplies:		
Text and reference books	13,771.59	
School Supplies	15,705.41	
Equipment and repairs	2,268.64	
Manual Training supplies	4,433.31	
Musical instruments and supplies	430.33	
Other Expenses:		
Diplomas and Graduation Expenses	178.81	
Support of Truants	462.27	
Miscellaneous printing and advertising	108.00	
Printing Annual Report	952.23	
Binding	673.92	
Power	653.10	
Disbursements	354.09	
Catering	344.77	
Pupils' transportation	900.00	
	46,314.20	
		80,891.42
School Department—Outside Tuition		
Ordinary Maintenance:		
City of Boston	2,217.40	
Other Cities	355.17	
	2,572.57	
School Teachers' Salaries		
Personal Service:		
Day Schools	1,286,936.61	
Evening Schools	2,103.00	
Americanization	3,657.48	
	1,292,697.09	

	Expenses	Outlays
Special Fund—Teachers' Retirement Deductions		
In accordance with Chapter 419, Acts of 1943	2,750.00	
		2,750.00
School Department		
Hot Lunch Project		
Supervisor	1,302.00	
Cooks	1,656.40	
Helpers	1,555.00	
Groceries	5,930.32	
Telephone	55.47	
Hardware and materials	25.80	
All other	10.29	
		10,535.28
Public Buildings Department		
Maintenance School Buildings		
Janitors' Salaries		
Personal Service:		
Janitors' salaries	132,859.07	
		132,859.07
Public Buildings Department		
Maintenance School Buildings		
Fuel and Light		
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Fuel	59,837.41	
Light	24,496.09	
		84,333.50
Public Buildings Department		
Maintenance School Buildings		
Building and Grounds		
Labor	37,752.61	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Furniture and furnishings	3,534.89	
Janitors' supplies	3,940.28	
Laundry	662.66	
Electrical and building repairs	19,906.90	
Heating and plumbing repairs	21,630.66	
Equipment and repairs	981.94	
Glass, hardware and paint	6,552.87	
Lumber	1,830.57	
Night watch service	252.50	
Carried forward		\$97,045.88

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$27,045.88	
Flags and flag poles	85.38	
Auto maintenance	1,931.11	
Care of grounds	988.46	
Power	762.03	
Electric bulbs	312.11	
Carfare allowance	300.00	
Window shades	1,318.03	
Removing rubbish	263.75	
Moving furniture	270.27	
Insurance	4,414.51	
All other	129.47	
	70,068.39	
Special Item:		
Renovating Auditorium—N. E.		
Jr. High	3,010.58	
Towels — High School	489.00	
	3,499.58	
		111,320.58
Vocational Education of Defense Workers (Federal)		
Cost of Instruction:		
P. R. 30 — Salaries:		
Teachers	840.00	
Tool room boys	317.99	
Janitors	432.00	
P. R. 30 — All others:		
Electricity	252.56	
Repairs to equipment	288.93	
All other	8.22	
Cost of Supervision:		
Supervisor	300.00	
Clerk	375.00	
Supplies	6.00	
Refund to State	468.47	
		3,289.17
School Trust Funds		
S. Newton Cutler Fund:		
Books	455.12	
Caroline G. Baker Fund:		
Disbursements	5.90	
Sarah Winslow Fox Fund:		
Disbursements	6.04	
		467.06

LIBRARIES

Central and Branch Libraries

Personal Service:

Librarian	4,250.00
Assistants	51,351.96

 55,601.96

Ordinary Maintenance:

Books	10,759.41
Periodicals	689.83
Binding	1,531.21
Postage and office supplies	1,322.84
Music	16.17
Printing and advertising	665.43
Telephone	746.02
Express	804.76
Repairs to equipment	113.15
Insurance	403.00
Gasoline	125.10
All other	68.43

 17,245.35

72,847.31

Public Buildings Department
Maintenance Central Library

Personal Service:

Janitors	5,770.39
Labor	2,160.76

Ordinary Maintenance:

Fuel	1,610.88
Light	1,018.81
Janitors' supplies	136.97
Electrical and building repairs	806.60
Plumbing and heating repairs..	167.58
Rental of water cooler	55.00
Hardware and materials	184.29
Rent	900.00
Insurance	341.09

 5,221.22

13,152.37

Public Buildings Department
Maintenance West Branch Library

Personal Service:

Janitors	2,129.28
Labor	93.06

Ordinary Maintenance:

Fuel	622.61
Light	460.55
Repairs to building	176.75

 Carried forward

\$3,482.25

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	3,482.25	
Janitors supplies	41.11	
Plumbing and heating repairs..	218.00	
Care of grounds	365.03	
Water and ice	20.50	
Insurance	139.89	
All other	11.76	
	2,056.20	
		4,278.54

Public Buildings Department
Maintenance East Branch Library

Personal Service:

Janitors	2,129.28
Labor	95.72

Ordinary Maintenance:

Fuel	258.87
Light	201.28
Care of grounds	41.00
Plumbing and heating	17.04
Janitors' supplies	29.58
Repairs to building	734.76
Insurance	59.27
All other	7.84
	1,349.64

3,574.64

Public Buildings Department
Maintenance Teele Square Library

Special Item:

Repairs and alterations to building	1,655.30
Furniture	521.05
Fuel and light	56.29
Hardware and materials	113.78

2,346.42

Public Library Trust Funds

Pitman Art Fund:

Books and periodicals	44.07
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Hunt Book Fund:

Books	873.38

917.45

RECREATION

Engineering—Parks Maintenance

Labor	19,894.18

Carried forward \$19,894.18

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$19,894.18	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Maintenance of trucks	173.16	
Tools, equipment and repairs	532.72	
Materials and supplies	565.30	
Flags and flag poles	327.66	
Miscellaneous repairs	468.27	
Telephone	49.56	
Care of grounds	1,218.60	
All other	175.19	
	3,510.46	
Special Item:		
Shelter Powder House Park	396.00	
		23,800.64
Public Buildings Department		
Maintenance Park Buildings		
Labor	502.31	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Fuel	1,489.03	
Light	164.78	
Electrical and building repairs ..	48.01	
Heating and plumbing repairs ..	338.81	
Hardware and materials	160.69	
Laundry and janitors' supplies..	166.13	
	2,367.45	
		2,869.76
Engineering Department		
Playgrounds Maintenance		
Labor	23,232.55	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Maintenance of trucks	141.70	
Tools, equipment and repairs ..	267.69	
Repairs to seats, fences and		
backstops	1,346.62	
Materials and supplies.....	517.72	
Care of grounds	1,401.19	
Flags and poles	60.00	
Maintenance of Fountains	56.94	
All other	50.53	
	3,842.39	
Special Item:		
Playground — Rear of Police		
Station	3,358.04	
Equipment:		
Tractor	1,867.70	
		32,300.68

Expenses Outlays

Improvements, Rear of High School

Contract	3,421.00
Construction steps and walks....	80.00
Tools and equipment	17.64
Grading and seeding	1,832.22
Repairs to running track	489.80

5,840.66

George Frederick Conway Playground

Materials and supplies	639.49
Playground equipment	342.48
Tools, equipment and repairs....	68.60
Fences	1,666.59
Resurfacing materials	5,050.73
Grading and seeding	2,195.08
Benches	475.20
Gasoline	139.67
All other	6.00

10,583.84

Recreation Commission**Personal Service:**

Superintendent	4,905.89
Instructors and other employees	28,924.56
Clerical hire	1,719.82

35,550.27

Ordinary Maintenance:

Printing, postage and supplies	739.30
Automobile Maintenance	250.00
Equipment, apparatus and supplies	1,577.77
Telephone	241.76
Rental of Hall	100.00
Rental of equipment	150.00
Disbursements	30.32
Maintenance of Station Wagon..	416.94
All other	77.53

3,583.62

Equipment:

Play equipment	43.20

39,177.09

Recreation Trust Fund**Mary A. Haley Fund:**

Handwork supplies	63.64

63.64

		Expenses	Outlays
Public Buildings Department Maintenance Bandstand			
Labor	307.62		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Lumber	9.75		
			317.37
Public Buildings Department Maintenance Bathhouse			
Personal Service:			
Attendants	478.35		
Labor	102.00		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Light	7.50		
Electrical and building repairs	31.45		
Equipment and supplies	7.87		
Insurance	75.00		
	121.82		702.17
Celebrations and Conventions			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Nineteenth of April	185.50		
V. E. Day	52.25		
V. J. Day	7.00		
V. F. W. Celebration	15.00		
Football games	23.00		
Halloween parties	442.20		
Christmas parties	273.68		
			998.63

UNCLASSIFIED

Public Buildings Department Maintenance Bow Street Municipal Building			
Personal Service:			
Janitors	4,492.66		
Labor	862.52		
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Fuel	780.36		
Light	449.27		
Hardware and materials	108.47		
Repairs to building	300.72		
Carried forward			\$6,994.00

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$6,994.00	
Plumbing and heating repairs ..	5,408.86	
Insurance	235.55	
Moving	434.14	
Janitors' supplies	29.59	
All other	27.84	
	7,774.80	
Special Item:		
Boiler	849.31	
Repairs and equipment	327.75	
	1,177.06	
		14,307.04

Foreclosed Property Maintenance

Ordinary Maintenance:		
Advertising	24.25	
Repairs to buildings	33.65	
Insurance	81.76	
Office supplies	34.43	
Use of car	48.00	
All other	13.28	
		235.37

Memorial Day

Ordinary Maintenance:		
American Legion	704.63	
John A. Dickerman, D.A.V.	394.14	
George Dilboy V.F.W.	650.91	
Spanish War Veterans	225.60	
Sons and Daughters of the		
United Veterans	132.75	
City's Celebration	107.75	
Military Mass	255.50	
		2,471.28

Municipal Documents

Ordinary Maintenance:		
Printing	4,138.00	
Advertising	12.00	
		4,150.00

Quarters, Veterans' Organizations

Quarters, D. A. V.	45.00	
		45.00

		Expenses	Outlays
Commemorating Persons in World War II			
Electricity	80.94		
Repairing Honor Roll	278.75		
Typing records cards	25.68		
Landscaping	104.00		
Materials and supplies	554.57		
Lumber	557.57		
Flags and pole	120.65		
All other	32.96		
		1,755.12	
Damage to Persons and Personal Property			
Ordinary Maintenance:			
Settlement of Claims	14,191.00		
		14,191.00	
Tellers' Over and Shorts			
Tellers' Overs and Shorts	143.09		
		143.09	

COMPENSATIONS AND PENSIONS

Workmen's Compensation

Ordinary Maintenance:			
Compensation for injuries	10,941.65		
Medical attendance	2,823.66		
Postage	6.00		
		13,771.31	

Pensions

Ordinary Maintenance:			
Building	7,729.82		
Police	40,143.02		
Fire	51,796.19		
Electrical	1,434.58		
Health	1,075.00		
Engineering	763.72		
Sanitary	17,373.88		
Highway	11,882.57		
Water	3,065.80		
Printing Pension Postals	125.00		
		135,389.58	

Retirement System-Expense Fund

Personal Service:			
Bookkeeper and clerk	2,089.23		
Carried forward		\$2,089.23	

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$2,089.23	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Actuarial services	900.00	
Printing, postage and supplies..	83.45	
Bonds	67.50	
Binding	17.00	
All other	16.75	
	1,084.70	
		3,173.93
Special Fund—Pension Accumulation Fund Chap. 419—Acts 1943		
Special appropriation a/c mem- bers in Military Service	2,491.00	
		2,491.00
Pension Accumulation Fund		
Ordinary Maintenance:		
City's Contribution	59,698.00	
		59,698.00
Annuities		
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Police	10,396.29	
Fire	10,720.00	
Sanitary	424.55	
		21,540.84

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Interest

Ordinary Maintenance:	
Temporary Loans:	
Anticipation of revenue	5,388.39
General Loans:	
P. W. A. Sewer	750.00
Chapter 44—Sewers	4,215.00
Chapter 44—Highways	125.00
Bridge	157.50
P. W. A. Water Mains	350.00
Chapter 44—Water	2,712.50
P. W. A. School	5,285.00
High School Additions and Al- terations	7,760.00
Western Junior High School.....	4,335.00
Southern Junior High School....	6,032.50
Elementary School	540.00
Carried forward	37,650.89

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$37,650.89	
Police Station	1,968.75	
Municipal Garage	9,516.25	
Tax Title	228.52	
Municipal Relief	20,256.46	
Emergency Storm Damage	562.50	
Funding	660.00	
Defense	300.00	
All other	548.95	

71,692.32

Reduction of Funded Debt**Ordinary Maintenance:****General Loans:**

P. W. A. Sewers	1,000.00
Chapter 44—Sewers	11,000.00
Chapter 44—Highway	25,000.00
Bridge	1,000.00
P. W. A. Water Mains	2,000.00
Chapter 44—Water	20,000.00
P. W. A. School	16,000.00
High School Additions and Al-	
terations	61,000.00
Western Junior High School ...	19,000.00
Southern Junior High School....	27,000.00
Elementary School	6,000.00
Police Station	15,000.00
Municipal Garage	2,000.00
Municipal Relief	450,000.00
Emergency Storm Damage	5,000.00
Funding	39,000.00
Defense	8,000.00

708,000.00

WATER WORKS**Water Maintenance****Personal Service:**

Commissioner	4,050.00
Clerks	14,056.19
Foreman	3,853.06
Meter Readers	8,757.51

30,716.76

Labor 60,628.37

Ordinary Maintenance:

Printing, postage and supplies..	2,800.44
Telephone	207.36
Maintenance of office equipment	76.01
Automobile maintenance	300.00
Recording Liens	13.50

Carried forward \$94,742.44

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$94,742.44	
General:		
Pipe and fittings	3,847.90	
Meters and fittings	1,904.05	
Hydrants and fittings	919.54	
Tools and repairs	2,031.52	
Trucks, maintenance and supplies	2,864.06	
Power	13.33	
Gasoline and oil	1,389.08	
Other supplies	406.39	
All other	85.78	
	<u>16,858.96</u>	
		108,204.09

**Public Buildings Department
Maintenance Water Building**

Labor	57.19	
Ordinary Maintenance:		
Fuel	841.12	
Light	244.26	
Heating and plumbing	24.50	
Hardware and materials	16.51	
Insurance	303.92	
	<u>1,430.31</u>	
		1,487.50

OTHER ACCOUNTS

Temporary Loans

Loans in anticipation of revenue	2,400,000.00	
	<u>2,400,000.00</u>	
		2,400,000.00

Tax Title Loans

Tax Title Loans	18,449.13	
	<u>18,449.13</u>	
		18,449.13

County of Middlesex

County Tax, 1945	146,153.42	
County Assessment, T. B.	68,506.76	
	<u>214,660.18</u>	
		214,660.18

County of Middlesex—Dog Licenses

Dog Licenses	5,212.40	
	<u>5,212.40</u>	
		5,212.40

		Expenses	Outlays
Deposits			
City Clerk's Deposits	1,013.00		
Highway Deposits	415.00		
School Deposits	125.00		
Water Deposits	100.00		
	<u>1,653.00</u>		
Retirement Deductions			
Deductions to System	39,381.10		
	<u>39,381.10</u>	39,381.10	
Teachers' Retirement Deductions			
Retirement deductions paid to State	58,178.01		
	<u>58,178.01</u>	58,178.01	
Pay Roll Deductions for U. S. Savings Bonds			
Bonds to employees	13,855.75		
Refunds	1,402.25		
	<u>15,258.00</u>	15,258.00	
Federal Tax Withholding			
Federal Tax Withholding paid to U. S. Government	259,145.43		
	<u>259,145.43</u>	259,145.43	
Blue Cross Deductions			
Deductions paid to Blue Cross	7,147.25		
	<u>7,147.25</u>	7,147.25	
Federal Grants, Hot Lunch Project			
Federal Grants	4,807.60		
	<u>4,807.60</u>	4,807.60	
State Taxes			
State Taxes	117,300.00		
	<u>117,300.00</u>	117,300.00	

		Expenses	Outlays
Metropolitan and Other Assessments			
Auditing Municipal Accounts ..	2,050.98		
Charles River Basin Assessment	9,416.44		
Metropolitan Park Assessment	26,398.79		
Metropolitan Sewer Assessment	104,533.94		
Metropolitan Water Assessment	271,153.08		
Boston Metropolitan District Expenses	267.30		
Elevated Railway Rental Deficiency	5,736.86		
Hospital or home care for Civil War Veterans	184.07		
Smoke Inspection	937.86		
		420,679.32	
Reimbursements, Old Age Assistance			
Reimbursements	1.00		
		1.00	
Tailings			
Tailings	40.47		
		40.47	
C. of M. Health Department			
Bottling License Fees to State..	40.00		
		40.00	
Cash Refunds			
Real Estate:			
Taxes — 1945.....	5,306.44		
Taxes — 1944.....	37,552.91		
Taxes — 1943.....	17,085.16		
Taxes — 1942.....	6,871.60		
Polls:			
Taxes — 1945.....	36.00		
Taxes — 1944.....	10.00		
Taxes — 1943.....	2.00		
Personal:			
Taxes — 1945.....	50.84		
Taxes — 1944.....	4.03		
Motor Vehicle Excise:			
Taxes — 1945.....	974.53		
Taxes — 1944.....	23.45		
Carried forward		\$67,916.96	

	Expenses	Outlays
Brought forward	\$67,916.96	
Taxes — 1942.....	2.00	
Taxes — Previous years	2.00	
Water Rates	12.73	
Estimated Receipts	16.07	
Bills Receivable	10.00	
Tax Titles	80.70	
	68,040.46	
Total	9,813,516.52	3,289.17
Refunds	9,259.93	4.00
Total Cash Payments	9,822,776.45	3,293.17
		9,826,069.62

SCHEDULE OF PUBLIC PROPERTY

School Buildings	Land and Buildings	Personal	Totals
Prescott	\$72,200.00	\$3,000.00	\$75,200.00
Southworth	62,000.00	2,000.00	64,000.00
Hanscom	66,500.00	4,000.00	70,500.00
Davis	53,000.00	7,500.00	60,500.00
Clark Bennett	54,500.00	3,500.00	58,000.00
*Knapp (includes dental clinic)..	53,000.00	6,900.00	59,900.00
Baxter	39,200.00	2,000.00	41,200.00
Perry	53,600.00	2,500.00	56,100.00
Bell and Southern Jr. High	364,400.00	10,000.00	374,400.00
Pope	83,600.00	5,000.00	88,600.00
Cummings	87,000.00	2,500.00	89,500.00
Vocational	372,800.00	40,000.00	412,800.00
Northeastern Junior High	618,000.00	20,000.00	638,000.00
†High and Gymnasium	1,129,500.00	134,000.00	1,263,500.00
Glines	96,400.00	5,000.00	101,400.00
Grimmons	96,800.00	4,000.00	100,800.00
Forster	64,000.00	4,500.00	.....
Forster (Annex)	40,000.00	3,500.00	112,000.00
‡Proctor	42,000.00	5,000.00	47,000.00
Bingham	77,000.00	5,000.00	82,000.00
Morse	59,000.00	5,000.00	64,000.00
Carr	58,600.00	4,500.00	63,100.00
Durrell	24,600.00	1,500.00	26,100.00
Burns	46,000.00	3,000.00	49,000.00
Brown	80,700.00	3,000.00	83,700.00
Highland	68,600.00	5,000.00	73,600.00
Lowe	57,000.00	2,000.00	59,000.00
Hodgkins	121,200.00	5,000.00	126,200.00
§West Somerville Jr. High	475,000.00	8,000.00	483,000.00
Lincoln	19,700.00	1,000.00	20,700.00
Cutler	135,800.00	10,000.00	145,800.00
Total	\$4,671,700.00	\$317,900.00	\$4,989,600.00

Miscellaneous Land

Prospect Street	\$11,000.00	.....	\$11,000.00
Roberts Street	200.00	.....	200.00
Putnam Street	400.00	.....	400.00
McGrath Highway	300.00	.....	300.00
Spencer Avenue	100.00	.....	100.00
Lowell Street	100.00	.....	100.00
Endicott Avenue	800.00	.....	800.00
Alpine Street	1,100.00	.....	1,100.00
Princeton Street	1,600.00	.....	1,600.00
Wilson Avenue	600.00	.....	600.00
Total	\$16,200.00	.....	\$16,200.00

*Dental Clinic \$1,400.00

†Land Included in Central Hill Park

‡Buildings and Fixtures, Land owned by State

§Land Included in Walter Ernest Shaw Playground

Libraries	Land and Buildings	Personal	Totals
†Central	\$137,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$237,000.00
East Somerville Branch	25,500.00	2,500.00	28,000.00
West Somerville Branch	42,600.00	6,500.00	49,100.00
Total	\$205,100.00	\$109,000.00	\$314,100.00

†Land Included in Central Hill Park

Miscellaneous Buildings

New Police Station	141,500.00	70,000.00	211,500.00
Highway (Stables, etc.)	56,500.00	30,000.00	86,500.00
Contagious and Tuberculosis Hospital	63,500.00	9,000.00	72,500.00
City Home	166,700.00	18,000.00	184,700.00
Recreation Center	73,500.00	2,000.00	75,500.00
\$City Hall	347,000.00	200,000.00	547,000.00
Power House and Heating Plt....	142,500.00	.....	142,500.00
City Garages	24,900.00	.....	24,900.00
Sanitary	21,400.00	45,000.00	66,400.00
Water	47,500.00	6,500.00	54,000.00
Veterans Aid Bureau .....	.....	500.00	500.00

\$Land Included in Central Hill Park

Parks

Field House, Dilboy Field	12,000.00	.....	12,000.00
Trum (Wall, etc.)	14,000.00	.....	14,000.00
Broadway	3,100.00	.....	3,100.00
Lincoln	3,000.00	.....	3,000.00
Bathhouse	20,000.00	5,000.00	25,000.00
Polling Booths .....	.....	400.00	400.00
Glen Street Showers	9,000.00	.....	9,000.00
Total	\$1,146,100.00	\$386,400.00	\$1,532,500.00

Fire Buildings

New Fire Alarm Building	27,500.00	72,000.00	99,500.00
*Central	48,500.00	39,100.00	87,600.00
Engine Two, Ladder Two	44,000.00	41,500.00	85,500.00
Engine Six, Ladder Three	43,100.00	18,000.00	61,100.00
Engine Five and Drill Tower ..	30,000.00	10,000.00	40,000.00
Ladder One, Engine Three	72,400.00	36,000.00	108,400.00
Ladder Four and Chemical 7	19,500.00	35,900.00	55,400.00
Engine Four	26,300.00	18,000.00	44,300.00
Total	\$311,300.00	\$270,500.00	\$581,800.00

*Included Electrical Department Equipment

FORECLOSED PROPERTY

	Land and Buildings	Personal	Totals
Walnut Street	\$2,500.00	.....	\$2,500.00
Harris Street	7,200.00	.....	7,200.00
Harris Street	1,300.00	.....	1,300.00
2 Congress Pl. and 44 Linwood St.	800.00	.....	800.00
30 Prospect Street	3,200.00	.....	3,200.00
Albion Street	2,500.00	.....	2,500.00
Bennett Street	200.00	.....	200.00
17 Bow Street Place	2,200.00	.....	2,200.00
Broadway	3,500.00	.....	3,500.00
Cedar Street	400.00	.....	400.00
31-33 Chestnut Street	600.00	.....	600.00
35-37 Chestnut Street	2,500.00	.....	2,500.00
Cottage Place	700.00	.....	700.00
93-91 Cross St. Part lot Flint St.	1,600.00	.....	1,600.00
5 Cross Street Place	2,500.00	.....	2,500.00
Fellsway	500.00	.....	500.00
Flint Street	300.00	.....	300.00
30-28 Lincoln Avenue	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
26-30 Linden Avenue	7,000.00	.....	7,000.00
45-32 Linwood Street	4,300.00	.....	4,300.00
41 Linwood Street	1,100.00	.....	1,100.00
Oak Street	1,700.00	.....	1,700.00
Perkins Street	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
Perkins Street	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
Perkins Street	1,100.00	.....	1,100.00
Puritan Road	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
12 Sanborn Court	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00
Spring Street	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00
Stone Place, 8-10 Sanborn Court..	2,100.00	.....	2,100.00
Ten Hills Road	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00
Thurston Street	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
Tufts Street	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00
Vernon Street	800.00	.....	800.00
Bean Terrace	700.00	.....	700.00
8-10-12 Bennett Street	1,700.00	.....	1,700.00
Cherry Street (Reg. lot D)	6,300.00	.....	6,300.00
Endicott Avenue (lot 76)	800.00	.....	800.00
Franklin Avenue	500.00	.....	500.00
Franklin Avenue	600.00	.....	600.00
Franklin Avenue	300.00	.....	300.00
Franklin Street	1,300.00	.....	1,300.00
Fremont Street	500.00	.....	500.00
33 Gilman Street	5,400.00	.....	5,400.00
Glen Street	2,300.00	.....	2,300.00
105-107 Highland Avenue	9,000.00	.....	9,000.00
(51) Joy Street	800.00	.....	800.00
Lincoln Parkway	1,100.00	.....	1,100.00
39-37 Linwood Street	8,000.00	.....	8,000.00
Mystic Avenue (lot 323)	1,100.00	.....	1,100.00
Mystic Avenue (lot 322)	1,100.00	.....	1,100.00
Murray Street (Reg. lot)	500.00	.....	500.00
Murray Street	500.00	.....	500.00
4½-6-8 South St. & 11 Bedford St.	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00
48 Wallace Street	4,300.00	.....	4,300.00
Total	\$112,300.00		\$112,300.00

Parks and Playgrounds	Land and Buildings	Personal	Totals
Saxon C. Foss Park	\$421,200.00	.....	\$421,200.00
Central Hill	475,000.00	.....	475,000.00
Lincoln	84,500.00	\$4,000.00	88,500.00
Prospect Hill	69,800.00	.....	69,800.00
Tufts	123,000.00	.....	123,000.00
Paul Revere	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
Trum Playground	84,400.00	.....	84,400.00
Glen Street	39,000.00	.....	39,000.00
Poplar Street	6,300.00	.....	6,300.00
Dilboy Field	155,400.00	.....	155,400.00
John M. Woods Playground	36,600.00	.....	36,600.00
Walter E. Shaw Playground	65,000.00	.....	65,000.00
Mt. Vernon Avenue	10,900.00	.....	10,900.00
Belmont Street	5,100.00	.....	5,100.00
Dickerman Playground	4,400.00	.....	4,400.00
George F. Conway	59,000.00	.....	59,000.00
	<u>\$1,640.600.00</u>	<u>\$4,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,644,600.00</u>

Summary

School Buildings	\$4,671,700.00	\$317,900.00	\$4,989,600.00
Fire Buildings	311,300.00	270,500.00	581,800.00
Libraries	205,100.00	109,000.00	314,100.00
Miscellaneous Buildings	1,146,100.00	386,400.00	1,532,500.00
Foreclosed Property	112,300.00	.....	112,300.00
Parks and Playgrounds	1,640.600.00	4,000.00	1,644,600.00
Miscellaneous Land	16,200.00	.....	16,200.00
Total	<u>\$8,103,300.00</u>	<u>\$1,087,800.00</u>	<u>\$9,191,100.00</u>

Sewers (Cost)	1,957,976.42
Water Works (Cost)	1,792,929.04

Total Value of Public Property	<u>\$12,942,005.46</u>
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SOMERVILLE RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Somerville Retirement System, which was established as of January 1, 1931, under Chapter 184, Acts of 1930, as amended by Chapter 222, Acts of 1933, covers all employees of the City of Somerville except teachers and elected officials and those employees in service on January 1, 1931 who elected not to become members,

MEMBERSHIP OF THE SYSTEM
ACTIVE MEMBERS

The active membership of the system consists of members with credit for service rendered prior to January 1, 1931 and members without such credit who are referred to as "new entrants." Members entering the retirement system are classified as general employees referred to as "Group 1" employees which include clerical, administrative, and technical workers, laborers, mechanics and all employees not otherwise classified, or as "Group 2" employees which include members of the City's Police and Fire Departments. The following table shows the number of members in each group and their annual compensation as of June 30, 1945.

THE NUMBER AND ANNUAL SALARIES OF ACTIVE MEMBERS
AS OF JUNE 30, 1945

Group	Total		Members with Prior		New Entrants	
	Number	Salaries	Number	Salaries	Number	Salaries
General Employees:						
Men	248	\$535,964	23	\$57,408	225	\$478,556
Women	162	248,196	51	91,572	111	156,624
Firemen and policemen	144	346,372	1	2,496	143	343,876
Total—						
All Groups	554	\$1,130,532	75	\$151,476	479	\$979,056

RETIRED MEMBERS

The following table shows the number of beneficiaries on the roll as of June 30, 1945 together with the amount of their annual retirement allowances.

**THE NUMBER AND ANNUAL RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES OF
BENEFICIARIES ON THE ROLL AS OF JUNE 30, 1945**

Group	No.	Annuities	Pensions Payable from: Accumulation Fund	Pension Reserve Fund	Total Retirement Allowances
Employee Beneficiaries in Receipt of Service Retirement Allowances					
General Employees:					
Men	19	\$1,521.36	\$12,955.38	\$5.88	\$14,482.62
Women	15	924.48	7,419.37	.....	8,343.85
Firemen and Policemen	....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	34	\$2,445.84	\$20,374.75	\$5.88	\$22,826.47
Employee Beneficiaries in Receipt of Disability Retirement Allowances					
General Employees:					
Men	1	\$36.84	\$780.45	.....	\$817.29
Women	....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Firemen and Policemen	....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	1	\$36.84	\$780.45	.....	\$817.29
Dependent Beneficiaries of Deceased Employees and Employee Beneficiaries					
Men	....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Women	2	\$24.36	\$408.08	\$1,095.00	\$1,527.44
Total	2	\$24.36	\$408.08	\$1,095.00	\$1,527.44
GRAND TOTAL	37	\$2,507.04	\$21,563.28	\$1,100.88	\$25,171.20

SOMERVILLE RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Balance Sheet, December 31, 1945

Assets

Cash	\$19,390.56	
Investments	717,155.71	
Accrued Interest	287.13	
		<u>\$736,833.40</u>

Liabilities

Annuity Savings Fund	\$369,730.98	
Annuity Reserve Fund	21,742.91	
Pension Accumulation Fund	328,263.10	
Pension Reserve Fund	17,096.41	
		<u>\$736,833.40</u>

Receipts and Expenditures for Year 1945

Receipts

Cash on hand January 1, 1945	\$12,386.72	
Contributions by Members	39,868.13	
Transfers from other Contribu- tory Retirement Systems	105.93	
Contributions by City:		
Normal	\$23,859.00	
Accrued Liability	35,839.00	
		<u>59,698.00</u>
Income from Investments	19,979.68	
Accrued Interest	384.84	
Sale and Redemption of Bonds, Par Value	93,000.00	
Discount on purchase of Secur- ities	518.75	
Special Fund, Chapter 419, Acts of 1943	2,491.00	
		<u>\$228,433.05</u>

Expenditures

Purchase of Securities, Par Value	\$166,000.00	
Investment, Special Fund, Chap- ter 419, Acts of 1943	2,491.00	
Premium on Securities Purchased	1,925.00	
Accrued Interest on Securities Purchased	624.88	
Commission and Charges	171.21	
Pension Payments	\$20,863.84	
Annuity Payments	2,473.86	
Death Benefits in Active Service	1,095.00	
		<u>24,432.70</u>

Refunds: .

Resignations and Dismissals	6,809.58	
Deaths	3,132.01	
Error	8.35	
Retirement under Veterans Act	229.84	
		10,179.78

Transfers to other Contributory

Retirement Systems	3,217.92	
Cash on hand December 31, 1945..	19,390.56	
		\$228,433.05

SOMERVILLE RETIREMENT BOARD,

M. DAVID BINGHAM, *Chairman*
 JOHN J. GRIFFIN, *Acting Secretary*
 HELEN E. VARNERIN, *Temporary City Auditor*

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER AND
COLLECTOR OF TAXES**

Somerville, Mass.,
March 14, 1946.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the
Board of Aldermen of the City of
Somerville, Massachusetts

Gentlemen: .

I herewith present the annual report of the City Treasurer
and Collector of Taxes for the year 1945.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER E. COLLINS,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes.

CASH STATEMENT

RECEIPTS	\$9,866,172.77
Balance January 1, 1945	616,923.57
	\$10,483,096.34

PAYMENTS	\$9,826,069.62
Balance December 31, 1945	657,026.72
	\$10,483,096.34

The Assessors' warrants for the tax levy, assessed upon polls and property for the year 1945, and the Motor Vehicle Excise amounted to \$4,688,465.80.

Real Estate Valuation:

Land	\$30,577,650.00
Buildings	78,523,850.00
	\$109,101,500.00
Personal valuation	7,840,100.00
	116,941,600.00
At rate of \$38.80 per \$1,000.	4,537,334.08
Polls—34,849 at \$2.00	69,698.00

Assessments**Motor Vehicle Excise:**

Commitment No. 1.....	\$2,869.15
“ “ 2.....	3,263.19
“ “ 3.....	16,752.49
“ “ 4.....	8,364.09
“ “ 5.....	15,903.67
“ “ 6.....	28,015.14
“ “ 7.....	3,577.27
“ “ 8.....	2,167.98
“ “ 9.....	1,010.74
	81,923.72
Total Commitment by Assessors	\$4,688,465.80

TEMPORARY LOANS, 1945, IN ANTICIPATION OF REVENUE

Balance from 1944	\$400,000.00
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Dated	Due	Rate %	Amount
Feb. 8, 1945	Nov. 5, 1945	.324	\$500,000.00
Mar. 22, 1945	Dec. 13, 1945	.318	500,000.00
May 10, 1945	Nov. 7, 1945	.32	500,000.00
June 21, 1945	Nov. 8, 1945	.31	500,000.00
Dec. 6, 1945	Nov. 6, 1946	.43	400,000.00

2,400,000.00

2,800,000.00

Notes paid in 1945.....	2,400,000.00
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Balance to 1946	<u>400,000.00</u>
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FUNDED DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1945

	Rate	Date of Issue	Due	Amount
Lowell St. Bridge	3½	Apr. 1, 1909	1949	\$4,000.00
Water Loan	3½	July 2, 1934	1949	8,000.00
Water Loan	2¼	Apr. 1, 1938	1953	40,000.00
Water Loan	1½	Apr. 1, 1940	1955	50,000.00
Water Loan	1¼	Apr. 1, 1941	1951	30,000.00
Water Loan	1½	Jan. 1, 1942	1952	35,000.00
Sewer Loan	2¾	Oct. 1, 1937	1967	39,000.00
Sewer Loan	3¾	July 2, 1934	1964	19,000.00
Sewer Loan	2½	Jan. 1, 1939	1969	76,000.00
Sewer Loan	1¾	Oct. 2, 1939	1957	60,000.00
High School	4	July 1, 1927	1947	100,000.00
High School	4	July 1, 1928	1948	33,000.00
So. Junior High	4	July 1, 1930	1950	115,000.00
So. Junior High	3½	Apr. 1, 1931	1951	12,000.00
W. Junior High	4	Oct. 1, 1930	1950	75,000.00
W. Junior High	3½	Apr. 1, 1931	1951	19,000.00
Elementary School	4½	Oct. 1, 1931	1946	6,000.00
School Loan	3½	July 2, 1934	1954	135,000.00
Municipal Garage	4¾	Jan. 1, 1932	1952	14,000.00
Police Station	5¼	Jan. 1, 1932	1947	30,000.00
Emergency Storm Damage	2¼	Oct. 2, 1939	1949	20,000.00
Funding Loan	¾ of 1	July 1, 1941	1946	36,000.00
Funding Loan	2	Oct. 1, 1941	1946	3,000.00
Defense Loan	1¾	Oct. 1, 1941	1946	2,000.00
Defense Loan	1¼	Apr. 1, 1942	1947	4,000.00
Defense Loan	1¼	Apr. 1, 1943	1948	6,000.00
Defense Loan	1	July 1, 1943	1948	6,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¾	Apr. 1, 1936	1946	20,000.00
Municipal Relief	2½	July 1, 1937	1947	30,000.00
Municipal Relief	2½	Oct. 1, 1937	1947	54,000.00
Municipal Relief	2½	Oct. 1, 1937	1947	32,000.00
Municipal Relief	2	July 1, 1936	1946	22,000.00
Municipal Relief	2	Oct. 1, 1936	1946	17,000.00
Municipal eRelief	2½	Apr. 1, 1938	1948	45,000.00
Municipal Relief	2	July 1, 1938	1948	51,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¾	July 1, 1938	1948	36,000.00
Municipal Relief	2	Oct. 1, 1938	1948	15,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¾	Oct. 1, 1938	1948	27,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¾	Apr. 1, 1939	1949	40,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¾	July 1, 1939	1949	60,000.00
Municipal Relief	1½	July 1, 1939	1949	40,000.00
Municipal Relief	2¼	Oct. 2, 1939	1949	24,000.00
Municipal Relief	1½	Oct. 2, 1939	1949	24,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¾	Oct. 2, 1939	1949	44,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	Apr. 1, 1940	1950	75,000.00
Municipal Relief	1½	July 1, 1940	1950	50,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	Oct. 1, 1940	1950	100,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	Oct. 1, 1940	1950	25,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	Apr. 1, 1941	1951	159,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	July 1, 1941	1951	150,000.00
Municipal Relief	2	Oct. 1, 1941	1951	19,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	Apr. 1, 1942	1952	140,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	July 1, 1942	1952	100,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	Oct. 1, 1942	1952	47,000.00
Municipal Relief	1¼	Oct. 1, 1942	1952	27,000.00

 \$2,450,000.00

YEARLY BOND MATURITIES WITH INTEREST

Municipal Relief Loans

Year Due	Principal	Interest	Total
1946	\$385,000.00	\$21,877.50	\$406,877.50
1947	325,000.00	15,405.00	340,405.00
1948	266,000.00	9,907.50	275,907.50
1949	207,000.00	6,066.25	213,066.25
1950	149,000.00	3,313.75	152,313.75
1951	98,000.00	1,497.50	99,497.50
1952	43,000.00	412.50	43,412.50
	\$1,473,000.00	\$58,480.00	\$1,531,480.00

All Other Loans

1946	\$231,000.00	\$29,126.25	\$260,126.25
1947	182,000.00	22,021.25	204,021.25
1948	115,000.00	15,992.50	130,992.50
1949	100,000.00	12,382.50	112,382.50
1950	91,000.00	9,275.00	100,275.00
1951	52,000.00	6,397.50	58,397.50
1952	43,000.00	5,158.75	48,158.75
1953	36,000.00	4,106.25	40,106.25
1954	31,000.00	3,195.00	34,195.00
1955	16,000.00	2,340.00	18,340.00
1956	11,000.00	2,047.50	13,047.50
1957	11,000.00	1,792.50	12,792.50
1958	6,000.00	1,537.50	7,537.50
1959	6,000.00	1,370.00	7,370.00
1960	6,000.00	1,202.50	7,202.50
1961	6,000.00	1,035.00	7,035.00
1962	6,000.00	867.50	6,867.50
1963	5,000.00	700.00	5,700.00
1964	5,000.00	560.00	5,560.00
1965	4,000.00	420.00	4,420.00
1966	4,000.00	317.50	4,317.50
1967	4,000.00	215.00	4,215.00
1968	3,000.00	112.50	3,112.50
1969	3,000.00	37.50	3,037.50
	\$977,000.00	\$122,210.00	\$1,099,210.00

BONDS DUE IN 1946

	January	April	July	October	Total
Bridge .....	.....	\$1,000.00	.....	.....	\$1,000.00
Water	\$5,000.00	15,000.00	\$2,000.00	.....	22,000.00
Sewer	4,000.00	.....	1,000.00	7,000.00	12,000.00
High School .....	.....	.....	61,000.00	.....	61,000.00
So. Junior High .....	.....	3,000.00	23,000.00	.....	26,000.00
W. Junior High .....	.....	4,000.00	.....	15,000.00	19,000.00
Elementary .....	.....	.....	.....	6,000.00	6,000.00
School Loan .....	.....	.....	.....	15,000.00	15,000.00
Garage	2,000.00	.....	.....	.....	2,000.00
Police Station	15,000.00	.....	.....	.....	15,000.00
Emergency Storm Damage .....	.....	.....	.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
Funding Loan .....	.....	.....	36,000.00	3,000.00	39,000.00
Defense Loan .....	.....	4,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	8,000.00
Municipal Relief .....	.....	107,000.00	141,000.00	137,000.00	385,000.00
	\$26,000.00	\$134,000.00	\$281,000.00	\$175,000.00	\$616,000.00

BOND INTEREST IN 1946

	January	April	July	October	Total
Bridge .....	.....	\$70.00	.....	\$52.50	\$122.50
Water	\$402.50	1,012.50	\$365.00	887.50	2,667.50
Sewer	1,306.25	1,061.25	1,256.25	1,061.25	4,685.00
High School	2,660.00	.....	2,660.00	.....	5,320.00
So. Junior High	2,300.00	210.00	2,300.00	157.50	4,967.50
W. Junior High .....	.....	1,832.50	.....	1,762.50	3,595.00
Elementary .....	.....	135.00	.....	135.00	270.00
School Loan	2,362.50	.....	2,362.50	.....	4,725.00
Garage	332.50	.....	285.00	.....	617.50
Police Station	787.50	.....	393.75	.....	1,181.25
Emergency Storm Damage .....	.....	225.00	.....	225.00	450.00
Funding Loan	135.00	30.00	135.00	30.00	330.00
Defense Loan	30.00	80.00	30.00	55.00	195.00
Municipal Relief	4,032.50	7,325.00	4,032.50	6,487.50	21,877.50
	\$14,348.75	\$11,981.25	\$13,820.00	\$10,853.75	\$51,003.75

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRIC LINES & LIGHTS

April 10. 1946

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the
Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the Annual Report of the Department of Electric Lines and Lights for the year ending December 31, 1945.

INSPECTION OF WIRING IN BUILDINGS

Installations of all new work and additions to existing systems have been rigidly inspected and tested throughout the year.

By re-inspection of old installations we constantly condemned and discouraged amateur work, including the increasing tendency to use cord wiring tacked to door casings, baseboards, etc, and usually connected to unapproved fittings and appliances. Such abuse of wiring systems creates a life and fire hazard that in some cases required stern action to bring about correction of same.

An inspector responded to all fire alarms and water leaks when needed, as well as all multiple alarms day or night.

The number of permits issued for electrical installations	3937
Permits issued to Boston Edison Co.....	2136
Total fees collected for permits	\$1,735.00

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

A complete new set of batteries has been installed. These batteries are our secondary source of current, and automatically supply energy to the system if and when the primary source is disrupted.

The purchase of an additional independent auxiliary power supply to augment the above is recommended.

It is hoped that during the coming year definite steps can be taken to correct the tower striker situation as recommended in previous reports.

Number of Boxes in service	206
Number of maintenance calls of all types.....	258
Accident damage to Fire and Police Signal Boxes	\$473.25

ALARMS RECEIVED AND TRANSMITTED

First Alarms	964	
Second Alarms	13	
Third Alarms	2	
A. D. T. Alarms	17	
		996
Still Alarms	765	
Mutual Aid	260	
		1025
Total		2021

The Central Office equipment consists of the following:

- 2— 6 circuit operating boards.
- 1— 5 circuit tapper board.
- 1— 5 circuit gong board.
- 2—16 circuit storage battery charging boards.
- 1—32 circuit protective board.
- 1— 4 circuit punching register and take up reel.
- 2— 5 circuit punching registers and take up reels.
- 13— 1 circuit punching registers and take up reels.
- 2 Automotive time and date stamps.
- 1— 4 dial manual transmitter.
- 1— masterclock.
- 1— local telephone used on still alarm system.
- 531— cells storage battery.
- 3— 10 foot 4 shelf battery racks.
- 32— low rate rectifiers.
- 5— metropolitan tappers and gongs.
- 1— high rate rectifier.

Apparatus outside the central office:

- 66 Gardner Type Fire Alarm Boxes.
- 79 Ideal Type Fire Alarm Boxes.
- 30 Peerless Type Fire Alarm Boxes.
- 2 Ideal Master Boxes with remote control.
- 29 Peerless Master Boxes with remote control and equipped with auxiliary stations located in various private and public buildings.
- 1 new box was added during the year.
- 7 Tower strikers (only 3 in service).
- 25 cable terminal boxes.
- 9 punching registers.
- 28 closed circuit tappers and 5 open circuit tappers.
- 8 closed circuit tappers (secondary).
- 13 still alarm bells—local house system.
- 7 local telephones used as a company service system.
- 2 private interior telephones consisting of 12 stations.
- 4 traffic sirens.
- 11 house call bells.

POLICE SIGNAL EQUIPMENT

This system is in good operating condition despite the age of much of our street equipment. However by regular and careful maintenance many defect calls have been eliminated.

Number of Wagon calls	626
Number of Telephone calls	62041
Number of Duty calls	227274
Total	289941
Number maintenance calls	269
Number Police Signal Boxes	93
Value of Police Signal System	\$100,000.00

Police Headquarters signal equipment consists of the following:

- 1 Type "C" Police Signal Desk.
- 3-5 circuit Registers.
- 35 Secondary Batteries.
- 1 Charging Panel.
- 2 Automatic time and date stamps.
- 2 Takeup Reels.
- 6 Official Phones connected with police desk.

The Police Radio System consists of the following:

- 1 Central Station Transmitter and Receiver.
- 3 Remote Central Stations.
- 1 Vertical Antenna.
- 1 Lampkin frequency monitor.
- 1 Tuning meter.
- 12 F.M. 2-way mobile radio telephone units.

TRAFFIC SIGNALS

There are 31 intersections controlled by traffic signals, 15 of which are equipped with pedestrian push buttons.

With the return to normal production it is urged that the 1945 recommendations as regards purchase of new controller equipment be adopted. This is necessary due to age and obsolescence of much of the equipment, and in order to meet the requirements of the State Department of Public Works.

Number of accidents to traffic signals.....	17
Ccst of damage	\$1,251.54
Approximate value of system	50,000.00
Number maintenance calls	341

STREET LIGHTING

The installation of the new street lighting on Beacon Street has proved most beneficial. Night accidents, both of pedestrian and motorists have been reduced, as well as the increased ease of property protection. It is beyond doubt that modern street lighting is an asset to the life of our citizens in the furthering of traffic safety, crime prevention, and municipal development. A continuation of modernization of our street lighting system is recommended.

Beacon Street:

Old equipment	4— 800 Lumen lamps
	17— 6,000 Lumen lamps
New equipment	24—10,000 Lumen lamps
	23— 6,000 Lumen lamps

The number of street lights December 31, 1945 are as follows:

5—15,000 Lumen lamps
396—10,000 Lumen lamps
519— 6,000 Lumen lamps
36— 2,500 Lumen lamps
198— 1,000 Lumen lamps
1021— 800 Lumen lamps

I desire to express my appreciation to His Honor the Mayor, the members of the Board of Aldermen, and the several department heads, for their co-operation and many courtesies received.

Respectfully submitted

JAMES J. CUDDIHY,
Commissioner Electric Lines and Lights

REPORT OF THE LAW DEPARTMENT

April 22, 1946

To the Honorable, the Mayor and
the Board of Aldermen

Gentlemen:

The annual report of the Law Department for the year 1945 is herewith respectfully submitted.

During the past year a considerable amount of time was spent in preparing for trial the important legal questions involved in the suits instituted by the seven married women who were employed by the City of Somerville under the civil service laws, and who were discharged in 1938 by the then mayor, John M. Lynch, and who were later ordered reinstated by the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth in 1944 on the conclusion by said Supreme Court that they had been wrongfully discharged. The women in question were reinstated by his Honor, Mayor G. Edward Bradley, and are presently working in the employ of the city. Following their reinstatement the said women brought civil actions against the city in Middlesex Superior Court for back pay from the date of their discharge in 1938 to the date of their reinstatement in 1944, alleging a sum total damage of about \$90,000.

These cases are scheduled to be heard sometime during the first part of 1946. The city will contend that by way of mitigation of damages it should be allowed to set off any amounts of money the women earned from the date of their discharge to the date of their reinstatement. This is a point of law which must be adjudicated in Court

This department was represented at a number of hearings before the various legislative committees on proposed bills which concerned the city. Among the bills enacted by the Legislature was one authorizing the Metropolitan District Com-

mission to dredge the Alewife Brook and to grade the property adjacent to said brook together with other improvements, and as a health measure, the Metropolitan District Commission was authorized to construct adequate sewerage disposal stations along the Alewife Brook. Appearances were also made before the State Alcoholic Beverage Commission whenever the city's interest warranted, and also before other state commissions.

The interpretation of legislation affecting the rights of war veterans and their families was also a part of the solicitor's duties.

Cases which have been brought by taxpayers to the Appellate Tax Board, as in the past, have been settled on an equitable basis by our Assessors whenever possible, and those not settled were later adjudicated by the tax board.

Tax title foreclosures entered in the Land Court, which were filed after it was certain that the taxes on the property involved would not be paid, were brought to a close, and the final decree entered whenever possible. The properties thus taken over by the city were sold at public auction and the money turned over to the City Treasurer.

I wish to express my gratitude to my able assistant, Ashelen P. Senopoulos, for his conscientious and tireless application to his various duties and to the splendid manner with which he has conducted himself and the results obtained, and to claims inspector and my personal friend, Charles Shepherd, I take this opportunity of commending him for the efficient, businesslike and conscientious manner in which he has performed his duties. I also wish to express my gratitude to his Honor, the Mayor, the Board of Aldermen, and to the various department heads for their kind cooperation in connection with the work of this department.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY DiCECCA,

City Solicitor

**CITY OF SOMERVILLE
REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

January 2, 1946

SCHOOL COMMITTEE ROOMS

Ordered, that the Annual Report of the Superintendent of Schools be adopted as the Annual Report of the Board of School Committee, it being understood that such adoption does not commit the board to the opinions or recommendations made therein; that it be incorporated in the reports of the City Officers; and that six hundred copies be printed separately.

EVERETT W. IRELAND,

Secretary of School Board.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE 1945

THOMAS J. BURKE		Chairman
NELSON W. IRVING		Vice-Chairman

Members

EX-OFFICIO

G. EDWARD BRADLEY		29 Cambria Street
JOSEPH F. McEVoy, Jr.,	President Board of Aldermen	
	210 Powder House Boulevard	

WARD ONE

FREDERICK J. RYAN		27 Austin Street
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WARD TWO

FRANCIS H. BROWN		34 Bow Street
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WARD THREE

*ARTHUR P. FITZGERALD		60 Atherton Street
†ELIZABETH M. FITZGERALD		60 Atherton Street

WARD FOUR

WILLIAM B. BAILEY		224 School Street
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WARD FIVE

WILLIAM J. SHEA		10 Aberdeen Road
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WARD SIX

NELSON W. IRVING		24 Cutter Avenue
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WARD SEVEN

THOMAS J. BURKE		38 Burnham Street
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* Leave of absence—Armed Forces.

† Military Substitute.

Superintendent of Schools

EVERETT W. IRELAND

Office: West Building, High School, Highland Avenue

Residence: 18 Day Street

The Superintendent's Office will be open on school days from 8:00 to 5:00; Saturdays, 8:00 to 10:00 A. M. His office hour is 4:00 on school days and 8:30 on Saturdays.

Assistant Superintendent of Schools

LEO C. DONAHUE

383 Broadway

Superintendent's Office Force

Mary A. Clark, 156 Summer Street
 Marion E. Marshall, 30 Gilman Street
 Regina Truelson, 38 Rogers Avenue
 Margaret R. O'Connor, 2 Adrian Street
 Frances C. Geaton, 29 Tennyson Street
 Virginia V. Hender, 202 School Street

Standing Committees

NOTE: The member first named is Chairman; the second, Vice-Chairman.

TEACHERS	Brown, Ryan
FINANCE	Irving, Burke
CURRICULUMS AND INSTRUCTION	Ryan, Bailey
HEALTH, PHYSICAL TRAINING, AND ATHLETICS .	Shea, Brown
INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION.	Fitzgerald, Shea
SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS	Burke, Fitzgerald
RULES AND REGULATIONS	Bailey, Irving

Board Meetings

January 1	April 30	September 24
January 29	May 28	October 22
February 26	June 25	November 26
March 26		December 26

TO THE HONORABLE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS

MRS. FITZGERALD AND GENTLEMEN:

In accordance with the provisions of the Rules and Regulations of the Somerville School Committee, the Superintendent of Schools has prepared and submits herewith his eighteenth annual report, which is the seventy-fourth in a series of annual reports of the Somerville Public Schools, and covers the calendar year 1945.

This document is prepared in three sections, Part I of which is the report of the Superintendent of Schools to the School Committee, comprising a discussion of (1) the matters involved in the outstanding activities of the School Committee, and (2) the conditions of the schools with respect to changes, improvements, and progress, which includes statements regarding personnel, membership, and buildings, with recommendations concerning the immediate and necessary needs of our educational system.

Part II is prepared as a report of the School Committee to the citizens and consists of (1) a description of the school property, (2) statistical tables which set forth comparative figures covering a period of years concerning enrollment, membership, attendance, cost of instruction and maintenance, and other matters of organization, and (3) tables showing statistics, not necessary for comparison, covering the last fiscal year.

Part III presents the organization of the school system at the close of the year 1945 and the lists of graduates of this year from the secondary schools, the evening high school, and the vocational schools.

Respectfully Submitted,

EVERETT W. IRELAND,

Superintendent of Schools

January 2, 1946

PART I

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
1945

"These are the times that try men's souls," wrote Thomas Paine, to whom history gives credit of being an important factor in the winning of America's freedom in the days of the American Revolution. He continued, "The summer soldier and the sunshine patriot will, in this crisis, shrink from the service of their country; but he that stands it now deserves the love and thanks of man and woman."

Paine wrote with vigor, for he was seeking to rally the Americans to a unified and aggressive effort at one of the most critical points in the Revolution. Such critical times needed drastic methods to break the apathy developed by the laggard consciences of his day.

Likewise, during the past six years, not only America but the whole world has faced and will continue to face for some years a critical period, probably, because of its global extent, the most serious in world history. This crisis has presented two paramount issues to the American people, namely, how to win the war most quickly and effectively, and how to reconstruct and adjust American life during the postwar period to the end that a permanent and lasting peace will be developed and maintained, so that we can live in harmony with all the peoples of the world.

Education has taken its proper place and accepted its responsibility in making its contribution in connection with the first issue. Realizing that the second issue would of necessity follow the first, and realizing as well that its place in the responsibility of solving that second issue would be of extreme importance, for some time Education has given serious attention to its anticipated problem. It now follows that the place assumed by Education and the task it performs during

this postwar period will determine in no small degree the role of America in the future of the world.

The foundation of American life,—effective citizenship, worthy home and community participation, individual health and happiness, educational opportunity, and vocational efficiency,—can be maintained only through a program of education that is efficient in organization, modern in method, adequate in financial support, and forward looking and far reaching in purpose. Along these lines much has been done, but much more needs to be done.

This report is not written by Thomas Paine, nor is it written to help gain a freedom of Revolutionary Days, but it is written to the public of the City of Somerville to record the stewardship of those charged with the responsibility of establishing and maintaining the educational system of our community, during the years of the crisis, particularly during the calendar year 1945, so that it will be known that Somerville's schools have well carried out their responsibilities during the days and years of terrible warfare. The further purpose of this report is to develop through suggestion and recommendation the role which should be played by our educational system in the postwar period so that the schools will continue to provide the best opportunities for the youth of our city, in keeping with the disposition of the people and their will to support.

Throughout the period of the six years of the crisis, as has been reported in detail through previous annual reports of the Superintendent of Schools, sight has never been lost of the primary purposes of our schools in spite of the fact that in time of war the programs and the activities of the schools had of necessity to be related directly to the war effort. The School Committee, administrators, supervisors, teachers, and even the children, cognizant of the importance of the undertaking, accepted wholeheartedly and with an eager, cooperative, and loyal willingness, the responsibilities necessary to the war effort and speedily and successfully carried out their increased duties and the necessary tasks involved.

Unfortunately, the eyes of the public have not been so definitely focused on the activities of its schools, for while it has not been forgotten that the schools are the people's schools, the anxiety over the safety of husbands, children, and loved

ones in the armed forces diverted attention from the details of changing methods and increased activities and accomplishments.

Now that the actual fighting days are over and the year 1945 has witnessed the joyous accomplishment of suppressing the active warfare on V-E Day and V-J Day, it is fitting that the public, now awaiting with eager anticipation the homecoming of those of their loved ones who were fortunate enough to withstand the atrocities and guns of our enemies, should become interested in a brief resume of the activities of their schools during the periods of preparation for and participation in the actual hostilities.

During the year 1940, while the whole world was anxiously concerned over the struggle between democratic and totalitarian ideas and ideals, the School Committee, in common with other like organizations and all educators of the country, agreed that the struggle could not be avoided or ignored, and determined to accept the challenge to improve its institutions so that they would be adequate for whatever should come in a changing world, for not only those who were in the schoolrooms during the day, but for all the citizens.

The problem confronting the schools was summed up in this manner,—(1) training must be given for complex issues of citizenship by making the school system not merely for the children but for all young people and adults, and school buildings must be used more and more hours to prepare men and women efficiently to function vocationally, avocationally, and civically, (2) the educational system must be organized in relation to the changing nature of the community in this technical civilization, (3) practical means must be provided to enable some students to receive or pursue specialized education, (4) very serious consideration must be given to the proposition of combining study and work in proper correlation through cooperative schooling, and (5) training must be given in the art of making profitable use of leisure time.

The facilities of the Vocational School were immediately made available, in preparation for opportunities in connection with governmental work, to those who wanted pre-employment instruction in machine shop work, to those who needed refresher courses to prepare them to re-enter the machine industry, and to those who needed advanced instruction in modern

methods of this vocation to be foremen. This program was carried on in cooperation with the Federal Government. Somerville furnished the building and the use of its equipment, while the federal authorities provided the power, the instructors, and all the expenses of instruction and materials.

In the conventional schools, revision was made in the courses of study in Social Studies so that there would be a better understanding of the duties and responsibilities of citizenship in order to make the information more applicable to the problems of the day. Provision was also made for increasing the scope of the work in Education for adults, with relation to the development of the work along the lines of better training in citizenship.

During the early part of 1941, improvements were continually being made in the program of the previous year, which centered mainly in preparing for the skilled trades, and also classes were meeting regularly in the school buildings to learn to be the leaders of our citizenry in case of emergency, such as the necessary home defense in case of attacks by air raids. An exceptionally well prepared force for whatever problem might confront us was the result. The police and fire departments were also taking their part in the plan of the home defense educational program by organizing auxiliary forces of private citizens.

Immediately upon our entrance into war, by action of Congress on December 8, 1941, following the dastardly attacks upon our Pacific Ocean possessions, the process of preparing for National Defense was quickened. Practical organization became an immediate necessity, and the educational program for the conduct of our children and the general public was greatly accelerated. Air Raid Units in the schools were at once organized, with each master assuming the responsibility of Air Raid Warden for his school or district. Every teacher became a part of these necessary units, and plans for the proper and safe care of the children were formulated, well defined, and all children were instructed concerning signals and their proper conduct in case of any emergency.

The necessary elements of moral, spiritual, and citizenship preparedness were not ignored. Morale, the will, and the spirit to enable our citizens to face unflinchingly the exigencies of the days of stress and strain which were to come, were

given the proper attention. Outstanding instances of the good citizenship attitudes of our children during this year should be mentioned here. They were highly commended for their ready and generous response of time, effort, and money to such activities as Junior Red Cross, Brockton Firemen's Relief, Salvation Army Drive, Mile of Pennies for the Somerville Christmas Basket Fund, Southern Middlesex Health Association, U. S. S. Massachusetts Gift Fund, and the Greater Boston Community Fund.

Provision was made by the School Committee for those of our school teachers who were members of Reserve Units or were eligible for selective service to be granted leaves of absence from their school duties to participate in the preparation for the emergencies of the world conflict. Assurance was given that their positions would be filled by temporary appointees only, and that reinstatement would be effective immediately upon their return from active service with the armed forces, and further assurance was given that their absence in the war effort would in no way interfere with their status, their opportunity for advancement, or their salary increases.

The year 1942, during which it had been anticipated that all activities of the Somerville schools were to be focused upon the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of Somerville as a separate political unit, and the seventieth anniversary of the establishment of Somerville as a city, found our attention diverted therefrom because of the serious and immediate problems presented to the schools by the world conflict. We were at war! Our vulnerability, the menace of a totalitarian conquest, and a possibility even that we might lose the war, caused us to hasten our plans and to prepare with all possible speed for the task ahead. Preparation for National Defense became preparation for Total War.

Attention had to be and was directed quickly and surely towards a program which would accelerate the attainment of preparation in (1) a courageous and cooperative morale, (2) better physical and mental health, (3) education geared to the necessary production for the benefit of the war effort, and (4) an appreciation of and emphasis on the problems and experiences of everyday living.

On the secondary school level the curriculum was analyzed and revised so that the emphasis was placed on those principles

of science and mathematics, social studies and the commercial fields which would best and most quickly prepare for advantage to the war effort. Attention was given to a rearrangement of program and subject assignments, to the end that essentials of the war effort would take precedence over nonessentials, and that work experiences for all boys and girls would be an element of the program.

A federal agency, after careful study during the summer of 1942 of the general problem of wartime Service Organizations in Secondary Schools, came to the conclusion that a plan should be formulated for the creation of a national framework into which all schools might fit their already existing local activities, thus giving ample scope for local initiative and vision. This framework developed an organization entitled "High School Victory Corps" which was designed to mobilize secondary school students for more effective preparation for and participation in wartime service. The Victory Corps was democratic and voluntary in character, it stimulated and channeled youth's enthusiasm, and it involved practically all secondary school students. It was exceedingly successful in the accomplishment of its purpose in our High and Vocational schools.

Students in our secondary and vocational schools received much commendation and were awarded Certificates of Merit, carrying conferred honorary commissions in the United States Navy, Bureau of Aeronautics, for their accomplishments in making model airplanes, both American and foreign, for use in our country's aviation training centers.

Realizing the shortages of semiskilled and unskilled labor, the students in our special classes were, during this year, brought into the pursuit of the war effort through the conception, planning for, and establishment of a project, new to the country, whereby these special class students entered productive employment on a part-time cooperative basis and became participating, wage-earning members of society.

Most of the teachers who had not entered the armed forces played particularly important roles in the work of Civil Defense as instructors and leaders in the forces of Air Raid Wardens, Women's Defense Corps, Auxiliary Police, and Auxiliary Firemen. They, because of their abilities and training, and because they are well organized, were drafted to perform the most

enormous task ever undertaken by unpaid volunteers, that of registering, during a four-day period, the entire population for rationing. Two other rationing programs were successfully effected during that year.

The School Committee, discovering that there was a shortage of available personnel for teaching vacancies caused by Selective Service, enlistments, and offers of high salaries in industry, gave authorization to the Superintendent of Schools to re-employ, after resignation due to marriage, those women teachers, at their current salaries and in their same positions, who had married members of the armed forces.

The year 1943 found the Allied Nations taking the offensive in the war, by virtue of the speed with which the armed forces of these nations had been effectively trained for their tasks of complex warfare, and the speed and efficiency of industry in placing at the disposal of the armed forces adequate, proper, and accurate materials of war. In consequence, the problems of our educational system were again somewhat changed.

At the Vocational School, due to the effectiveness of the program in training men for the skilled tasks of industry, a call came for so-called supplementary courses. Such courses provided for advanced training for skilled workers in industry, that they might more readily understand the backgrounds and processes of the industries, to the end that speedier and better production would result. Classes of men, and later of women, were accommodated from several nearby industrial plants, in intensive supplemental courses of eight hours daily for periods of four to six weeks. The federal government provided all expenses of the instruction and the employers paid the students a full factory salary while pursuing the courses. These courses were extremely beneficial to the war effort.

It was found that in spite of the successful preinduction training program carried on for the regular students of the Vocational School nevertheless certain ratings in the armed forces were available only to those persons holding high school diplomas. As a result of careful thought, study, and deliberation, arrangements were made for the establishment of the Somerville Vocational High School. This new department of the school was organized, with its own course of study, with all academic subjects, including social studies and science, on the high school level, and the shop and related work courses were

advanced in amount and standard. Only graduates of junior high schools or those who had been pursuing regular high school courses were eligible to participate in this course. After three years of successful accomplishment students will be awarded diplomas from the Somerville Vocational High School.

In the senior high school the aims and objectives of the Victory Corps, authorized, established, and pursued during the closing weeks of 1942, were continued and extended during 1943. The preinduction training program, which was extended and advanced through specialized courses of mathematics and science during the early months of 1943, was further developed by the inauguration of an accelerated course to enable qualified high school seniors to complete the work of the senior year between September and February. This was accomplished by utilization of free and special periods as recitation periods, by adjustments of programs, and by more study outside of regular school hours. Students who were successful in this accelerated course were eligible to take advantage of the specialized training programs offered by the Army and Navy, known as V-5, V-12, and A-12.

At the junior high and elementary school levels, alterations and changes in curricula were few in 1943, compared with those of the senior high and vocational schools, but the necessary changes in emphasis were recognized and provisions made therefor. Constant attention was given to the teaching of the basic subjects that form the foundation for all advanced learning, and to the contribution which the subjects offer in helping the pupils to understand more clearly the problems facing the country not only today but tomorrow. The influence of the war was reflected to a marked degree in the social studies. The whole geographical conception of time, space, and distance changed due to aviation and methods of transportation. Increased emphasis was placed on English, mathematics, and science due to the important roles played by these subjects in mechanized warfare.

While all efforts were being exerted to speed the end of the hostilities of the war, there were those connected with education who, while not attempting to be too optimistic over the duration of the war, believed that foresight should be exercised and at least a beginning should be made in studying the problems connected with the educational system of the postwar days.

It was very evident to thinking persons that the culmination of the military activities of the war and the establishment of a permanent peace would not be the end so far as those associated with the educational processes are concerned, and that an educational system must be established which should provide conditions favorable to world-wide democratic values and which should allow all the people of the world to enjoy life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, with the greatest emphasis on liberty.

During the year 1944, the continuity of the educational pattern formulated in theory in 1940 for the successful termination of the military activities of the war, and for the planning and functioning of those activities necessary to bring about a permanent and lasting world peace, was successfully followed and after careful consideration and thought extended as necessity required. Much preparation was made for the development of a postwar program of education.

In an attempt to prevent the creation of a federalized youth service, the Somerville schools developed a wisely planned and vigorously implemented program for improvement, adaptation, extension of the educational services for the youth of our community.

In the High School the Victory Corps activities and the pre-induction training program were continued and intensified. The accelerated course (originally established to prepare for V-5, V-12, and A-12) was continued so that boys becoming eighteen who were capable of progressing more rapidly through intensified study, were enabled actually to earn their diplomas prior to being called for induction into the armed forces.

In view of the fact that many of our boys, in addition to carrying on their very strenuous duties as members of the fighting forces of the war, pursued correspondence courses formulated and given by the United States Armed Forces Institute, the School Committee authorized the granting of credits towards the points necessary for an earned diploma, not only for the completion of the USAFI courses but for military training and experience.

In the junior high schools the curriculum was surveyed and appraised, and an investigation of our individual community needs was made by a competent committee with a view

to recommending any necessary modifications in our program of studies, to the end that our curriculum would provide the type of education best suited to the requirements of the times.

In the elementary schools, in addition to the continuance of constant analysis and revision of teaching content, methods, and techniques for improvement and intensification thereof, principals and teachers concerned themselves with the newer methods and scientific studies to the degree that social efficiency could be attained in every classroom and the capacity of every child could be developed to its fullest extent. Masters conducted specialized work in their districts in accordance with our continuing policy of using for experimentation any aid, device, or technique which it is felt may be helpful in improving the work and accomplishment of the child, resulting in giving the child a sense of worthy success. Such activities included (1) intensive work in reading in all grades, (2) simplification of rules in English, (3) improvement and extension of our already excellent Safety Program, and (4) use of Basic English as a reading aid.

During the year the newly organized Book Council did much valuable work in studying scientifically all available new materials, and made numerous recommendations concerning adoptions and deletions with reference to the authorized list of textbooks. After three years of constant study of all available basal reading systems, with resulting eliminations, the council finally recommended a new Basal Reading system, which was adopted by the School Committee.

At the Vocational School two items of importance were reported. Due to the resignation of the Teaching Principal of the Continuation and Junior Vocational Schools to affiliate with the Veterans Administration as a Vocational Counselor for returning veterans of World War II, the School Committee accepted the suggestion of the Vocational Division of the State Department of Education that all vocational activities be combined under the direction and supervision of the Director of the Vocational School. The Vocational High School, which was set in operation in September of 1943, successfully entered its second year for eligible students in September of 1944.

While too much optimism about the termination of the militaristic activities of World War II was not in evidence during the year 1944, cognizance was taken of the fact that the ultimate result would be in favor of the Allied Nations, and

much serious thought, study, and effort were given to the principles, philosophies, and curricula which would provide the foundation of our postwar education program. During the year a committee composed of school personnel was at work making serious study of the general policies suggested by the Educational Policies Commission of the National Education Association, supported and concurred in by the Department of Secondary Schools of the National Education Association.

Throughout the review of the activities and accomplishments of the five-year period preceding the current year, 1945, it has been shown that our Schools-At-War program has permeated every activity of our school system, but that part of the work which develops those important requisites of patriotism, thrift, and good citizenship, through the tangible medium of war savings, eventually came to be known as the Schools-At-War program.

The marked activity manifested by the school children in this field is attested by the total sales of War Bonds and Stamps, which reached a grand total of \$681,100 from the time of Pearl Harbor to the close of the year 1944. Every school in the city had received during that period a proud array of special citations from the Treasury Department, awarded for successful completion of campaigns to purchase specific equipment for our Armed Forces. "Treasure Hunt", "Back Your Own Hero", and "Military Objective" campaigns all lent color and provided pointed interest for the pupils in their home front efforts to "back the attack". The purchase in one concerted drive of a \$110,000 C-47 Ambulance Plane, named "Schools of Somerville, Mass.", was a thrilling accomplishment.

However important to the war effort the sale of War Bonds and Stamps might have been, the whole subject assumes a larger aspect when it is recognized that the advantages accruing to the pupils through their participation in the Schools-At-War program will serve as a solid foundation for their practice of citizenship when peace has come. Through these habits of thrift the pupils are building the road to individual security and national safety; they are learning to cooperate with their neighbors for community welfare; and they are developing their sense of civic obligation. These qualities will be needed as never before by men and women in the world of tomorrow.

The review of the work of the schools during the five-year period, 1940 through 1944, bears out the statement previously made by the Superintendent of Schools, that it has always been the intent of the legislators and the administrators of the Somerville schools to keep abreast of the best thought and practice of the educational world, and often to take the lead in the conception and establishment of new phases of education. Credit can justly be taken for pioneering in many areas of activity in the past.

The year 1945 has been an extremely active period for our school committee and school personnel, and the accomplishments of the schools of the community give ample evidence of constant and steady progress. The work of the year shows evidence of further pioneering and experimentation being made in the actual development and establishment of certain phases of our postwar educational plan.

V-E Day brought us to the realization that at least one phase of our postwar education program must immediately be made operative. Provision had to be made at once for giving attention to the educational needs of the returning veterans from the European theater of war. But before any veterans were returned to take advantage of the offerings, the summer recess intervened, and during that period the grand news of the capitulation of Japan was broadcast to the world on V-J Day.

Now that the war had been won, realizing that the culmination of the military activities did not terminate the task of those charged with the duty of providing education for the youth and even the adults of our country, it was evident that our real task had just begun. The necessary philosophies and ideals had to be developed to the end that there would be established a permanent peace.

We have moved from wartime frontiers to peacetime frontiers. The type of peace that was ours before the war is not sufficient now. We must have a different type of peace. It must be lasting and permanent; therefore, it must be different.

To this end, public opinion must set its goal and establish the machinery necessary to attain that goal. Much time will be required to develop and make operative the proper kind of world government. Education will assume its proper place and

do its share in formulating the kind of educational system which will be needed to fulfill the requirements of the peace. The requirements will call for much educational change, the nature and direction of which can be controlled.

Education in America has shown that it can promote and extend physical and mental health, develop intelligent methods of proper use of resources, increase effectiveness in production, develop character, and produce good citizens. It should, then, be able to help formulate effectively the policies and procedures for the necessities of world peace.

Our American system of education, based on local control and initiative, is worth saving and must be saved. Unless our postwar education is based on a wisely planned and vigorously implemented program for improvement, adaptation, and extension of educational services to youth, developed by local and state authorities, our system will not be saved, but will be replaced by a federalized system of youth service, the ineffectiveness of which we have already experienced in the C.C.C. and N.Y.A. projects.

We must, then, meet our responsibilities by (1) anticipating the needs of youth in these postwar years, (2) moving to meet the needs as they develop, (3) planning for meeting the needs by obtaining adequate funds from local and state sources to make the service possible, (4) preparing the teaching profession to make the necessary changes in curriculum and administration, (5) permitting the maintenance of sufficiently flexible secondary schools adequate to the tremendous educational job to be done, and (6) transforming our secondary schools under local and state control into agencies serving all American youth, whatever their educational needs, through the entire period of adjustment to adult life.

Further provision must be made for differences in intelligence and aptitude, occupational interests and outlooks, social and economic status, parental difficulties and cultural backgrounds, personal and avocational interests, and differences in mental health, emotional stability, and physical well being.

This education must be dedicated to the proposition that every youth of our community, regardless of sex, economic status, or race, shall experience a broad and balanced education which will (1) equip him to enter an occupation for which

his abilities are suited, (2) prepare him to be a useful and aggressive citizen, exercising his right to the pursuit of happiness, (3) stimulate him to cultivate the ability to think rationally, and (4) help him to develop an appreciation of the ethical values of all life in a democratic society.

It cannot be imagined that the foregoing is other than a fair statement of some of the principles and philosophies of good schools in the postwar period. If that be so, then it must be remembered that "Good Schools Cost Money". A sound investment in good schools will bring forth a sound return, not only to our community but to the country at large. A solid foundation of a well educated people will support our democracy and maintain a high national income. When it is anticipated that the annual national income in 1946 and 1947 will reach better than 125 billions of dollars and that expenditures for alcoholic beverages, transportation, foodstuffs, and automobiles will be doubled to six, twenty, thirty-two, and eight billion dollars respectively, should there be any question about increasing expenditures of approximately $2\frac{1}{2}$ billions of dollars for the improved education of thirty million of our youth in the same proportion that we increase the above mentioned?

In December of 1944 the Superintendent of Schools, in submitting a report similar to this, called the attention of the public, under a caption "Recapitulation and Recommendations", to a number of matters which, in his opinion, needed attention from the School Committee, the Mayor, and the City Government. These matters had for a considerable time been of serious concern to the Superintendent, but he deemed it inadvisable until then to recommend long-term planning because of the indefiniteness of the length of the global conflict and the extent and direction of future necessary revisions of both objectives and curricula.

It then appeared advisable to propose and urge careful thought, study, and deliberation by the School Committee to the preparation and development of a long-term plan of action which would result in the establishment of a system of education for the present and future citizens of our community, which would be commensurate with what is considered an adequate education for all its constituents and which would be within the ability of the taxable factors of the community to afford and maintain.

The School Committee of 1945, immediately after its organization with Thomas J. Burke as Chairman and Nelson W. Irving as Vice Chairman, recognizing the importance of its obligation to formulate the necessary legislation to make possible the development of a comprehensive system of public education to meet the probable increased needs of all children and adults during the postwar years, devoted its attention to those recommendations made by the Superintendent in his report for the year 1944 which it believed to be most urgent.

Much time and deliberation were expended on the consideration of the studies with recommendations which came from the various subcommittees of the Superintendent's Committee on Postwar Education, particularly those concerning (1) the intensification and elaboration of the health program in the schools, (2) the possibilities of changes in aims and objectives for education, with resultant changes in organization and curriculum, particularly at the secondary school level, and (3) the possibilities of a long-term building program which would provide adequate replacements of several antiquated school buildings which are quite unsuited for modern educational needs and demands.

As a result of this effort, authorization was given for experimentation with the junior high school curriculum, in order that authentic information would be available at the time when definite plans would be discussed and determined as part of the Postwar Education Plan. A complete statement of the curriculum changes made effective in September, 1945, will be found in a later portion of this report.

Approval was given for changes in the curriculum of the evening schools which set higher standards, with a consequent increase in the required time for pursuing the work for a diploma. This is in line with the attempt to provide a course in evening high school instruction which will provide as near as possible an education equal to that resulting in the award of a day high school diploma.

A further authorization, on an experimental basis, was granted for the intensification and elaboration of the health program in the High School. The resulting program of experimentation is outlined later in connection with the statement of the Secondary School activities of the year.

The School Committee sanctioned and approved the program for Postwar Building Projects, outlined by the Superintendent of Schools to the Mayor's Postwar Planning Committee, in accordance with the suggestions made in the report for 1944. A statement of the proposed projects is made later under the heading "Buildings and Repairs".

The new salary schedule, devised during 1944 to be effective January 1, 1945, as was noted last year, raised the maximum salaries of all classroom teachers, who, in the opinion of the members of the School Committee, needed immediate attention. It appeared that the School Committee intended, at a later date, to make provision for those in the higher brackets whose economic and social obligations are, in many instances, greater than those of the classroom teachers. Upon request of the group whose salaries had not been increased by the new salary schedule, consideration was given to a possible adjustment. A recommendation for an additional 5%, computed upon the basal salary of 1942 (effective January 1, 1945) for those whose salaries had not been increased in an amount of 15% since 1941, failed of adoption because of the adoption of a counter order similar in nature, but calling upon a special committee to provide for an amount to be included in the budget for 1946 consisting of a 5% increase for those who had not received 15% since 1941, but limiting such increase to \$125.

Such an increase will give those in the medium and upper brackets a total advance over their salaries of 1941 of but five to ten per cent, and further than that the increase has been delayed at least a year after all other city employees (many of whom receive more for services which require less training and experience) received a total increase of fifteen per cent.

An outstanding act of the Committee during the year in the interest of the welfare of the teachers was the unsolicited revision of the cumulative sick leave rule. Realizing that (1) the loyal, conscientious, professional attitude of the teachers and their unwillingness to absent themselves from their teaching duties, with a consequent loss to the pupils, prevents the teachers from using any more of their usual sick leave allowance than is absolutely necessary, and that (2) some with perfect attendance over a period of years found themselves in a position of losing a considerable portion of a year's salary, due to an illness of lengthy duration, the Committee

studied the situation in order to arrive at an equitable solution. The resulting action provides for the unused portions of the fifteen-day sick leave to become cumulative so that such accumulations may be used to an amount of one hundred days in ten years. It might appear that such a plan would increase the costs of education, but experiences of other communities using such a plan indicate that the cost of such cumulative sick leave over a period of years is less than that of regular sick leave allowances.

CHANGES, IMPROVEMENTS, AND PROGRESS

The following statements concerning the various units of our school organization will show that the Somerville schools have kept, and are continuing to keep, abreast of the necessary changes called for in the attempt to fulfill the requirements of our postwar education plan, which will provide a wisely planned and vigorously implemented program for improvement, adaptation, and extension of the educational services for all the youth of our community, regardless of sex, economic status, or race.

The development of the curriculum of the schools of the country has been dominated by four outstanding motives,—(1) the Religious (1635-1770), (2) the Political (1770-1860), (3) the Utilitarian (1860-1920), and (4) the motive of Mass Education (1920-now). The philosophies behind these motives have influenced the changes in curricular offerings of all school levels. College, secondary school, and elementary school alike have given evidence of the impacts of these influences. Of the four motives, the religious is the only one which is entirely inoperative today. The political motive continues to be an important force, as is evidenced by the enlargement of the social studies offerings in the schools; in the emergency of World War II, the teaching of “democracy” and “Americanism” have become as important as the mass education motive which is predominant. The utilitarian motive is and is likely to continue to be a powerful factor in the development of the curriculum of the secondary school, especially in connection with the effort to equalize educational opportunity for all the children of all the people.

In postwar education it is unlikely that a new motive will immediately develop and dominate the curriculum, but surely the curriculum will undergo changes. Analysis of the present

curriculum has been constantly progressing during 1945, to the end that remodeling and revamping will result in the elimination of nonessentials.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS

High School

At the high school level the organizations and programs of studies of the College Preparatory, Commercial, and General courses have been pursued as usual except for the changes in emphasis necessary because of the change from wartime activities to peacetime activities. Constant study of the curriculum and the various units of the courses of study have been pursued, and such pursuit will be continued through the remainder of the present school year.

During the year several important steps were taken in the High School. First, when Selective Service began inducting boys eighteen years of age, many young men enrolled in our high schools were forced to interrupt their schooling to enter the various branches of the armed forces. Late in 1944 the School Committee authorized a special committee, consisting of the Headmaster of the High School, the Superintendent of Schools, and a teacher of the High School, to evaluate correspondence courses pursued by these young people under the auspices of the United States Armed Forces Institute, to help them complete the requirements for a high school diploma.

Authorization was given for the granting of further credit for such training and schooling in the various branches of the services as was in any way comparable to the course of study usually offered in secondary schools. The task of evaluating has followed closely the recommendations of the American Council on Education and the National Association of Secondary School Principals. During 1945 more than 300 former pupils of the High School have written from all parts of the world requesting assistance in selecting courses which would complete the work required for a diploma. To each of these, detailed information was forwarded indicating the amount of work already done in the High School, the amount of work yet to be done, and recommending specific courses of study to be consummated, together with directions for getting help and advice from their educational services officer. During the year records of work done or being done have been received and

evaluated, and it is anticipated that many more reports will be received soon.

Second, the Accelerated Program inaugurated in 1943 for the purposes of giving senior boys the opportunity of earning the necessary credits for diplomas before being called for induction in the armed forces or before entering the college classes as members of V-5, V-12, or A-12, was discontinued.

With the advent of peace Selective Service Headquarters in Washington announced that boys who had entered high school before their eighteenth birthday would be allowed to postpone their induction until after they had graduated or until after they had become twenty years of age, whichever would be earlier. This announcement eliminated the necessity for the accelerated program. The experience of many years in the colleges has shown that, with the rare exception of the unusually brilliant student, acceleration of the program does not help students, but rather imposes so heavy a load on them as to make it impossible properly and adequately to assimilate the full worth of the courses they follow. The real evaluation of accelerated programs of study may be found in the opinion of Dr. Karl T. Compton, President of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who in the early days of the war declared that if the war was to be of short duration every sacrifice should be made to bring it to a quick end, but that if it were to endure for several years, a grave mistake would be made if education were curtailed or an attempt made to accelerate the educative process. How true this judgment was may be seen from the policy of the army in cancelling all credit for the ten months of work done under the A.S.T.R. program on an accelerated basis.

From these and similar experiences in matters pertaining to education in the armed forces there is a lesson to be learned or rather to be reviewed. That lesson is that there is no royal road to education. While it is true that visual methods and other innovations have their just place in the whole scheme of education, there is no short cut whereby the mind of the growing and maturing child can suddenly spring into full flower.

Education, properly so-called, does not consist merely in the acquisition of information. Information, while good and necessary in itself, is but the foundation on which the inquiring and logically trained intellect discovers new laws of na-

ture and the well disciplined will devotes the fruits of its labors to the well-being of the whole human race. We in our day have seen the havoc wrought by greed and the lust for power which arrogated to themselves the latest findings of science only to turn them into instruments of death and destruction for countless millions. The advent of the atomic bomb is not only a great achievement of science, it is a dreadful warning that unless minds are trained to seek the truth above all else, unless wills are trained to serve the truth above all else, civilization and the fate of all men hang precariously in the balance.

Practically for us, this means that in our curricula of studies we should emphasize more than ever before those subjects that train the mind to analyze situations, to correlate data, to synthesize component parts into an organic whole, and those subjects which require constant, patient, diligent application. After school days are over, young citizens will find that life is not merely a game to be played or not as one's fancy is inclined. Eloquent testimony to this truth is at hand in the attitude of so many of the men who are returning to civilian status. They are for the most part most eager to take up their education again and very many of them are very frank in condemning themselves for having neglected their opportunities while in school. Now they are finding out that to be admitted to college certain requirements must be fulfilled. The colleges are telling these men that experience has shown that a student is best prepared for college work by studying literature, social studies, modern languages, mathematics, and science. The curricula in the college preparatory courses should be built around these solid subjects. Whether a student is actually to go to college or if he wishes only to prepare himself for life by subjecting himself to the excellent training and discipline these studies entail, this type of course assumes all the characteristics of a truly vocational nature and should be regarded as such by all.

Specifically, the college preparatory courses should be made up almost entirely of required subjects, with electives limited to a choice of emphasis on one or another of several special fields. As things are now, too large a proportion of the required points for graduation may be made in subjects, which while good in themselves are not so important as those suggested above, namely, literature, social studies, modern languages, mathematics, and science.

The establishment of a regional secondary school for veterans in our high school building was the third important consideration at the secondary school level.

Foremost in the thoughts of all educators is a deep concern for the returning veteran and his educational problems. Taken from his habitual way of life, removed from the safe and sheltered environment of his home life, his program of studies interrupted, he responded magnificently to the call of his country in the throes of war. Now that the war is over and the veteran is returning home, it is our responsibility to respond no less magnificently to his reasonable expectation that he be allowed to return to the peaceful life he left and to partake of the advantages of the American way of life insured to all of us by his heroic efforts. From his association with many different groups of men from many different parts of the country and from many other countries as well, the veteran has come to appreciate in a new light the advantages that accrue from a well-rounded education. With this in mind he is anxious to avail himself of every opportunity to continue his schooling in anticipation of preparing himself for the responsibilities of peace.

Alert to this situation, in cooperation with the State Department of Education, a regional secondary school for veterans was set up in the Somerville High School Building. Originally these centers were organized in the State Teachers' Colleges, for the purpose of enabling veterans, who must work during the daytime, to finish their high school education during evening hours, and where desirable to prepare themselves for further studies. Anxious to help the veterans of Somerville in every way, the Superintendent of Schools suggested to the School Committee that the physical facilities of the High School be offered to the State Department for the establishment of one of these regional secondary schools for veterans in Somerville. The courses of studies and the instruction in these centers are under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Education, which has shown its appreciation of the Somerville School Department by appointing as coordinator and instructors in this center members of the faculty of our high school. To this center come veterans not only from Somerville, but also from the surrounding communities of Arlington,

Belmont, Cambridge, Everett, Lexington, Malden, Medford, Revere, Waltham, Woburn, and others. It is an inspiring sight to see the veterans come from such distances despite the weariness that follows a hard day's work and the inclemencies of the weather, to receive the educational advantages that a grateful community is happy to extend to them.

The center was established and became operative early in November with eighteen pupils. At the time of writing this report, only four weeks later, there are over one hundred students enrolled. It is anticipated that the opening of the year 1946 will find many more veterans of both sexes pursuing these courses, which are in session on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock. Instruction is individual and tutorial in nature and allows each pupil to progress at his own pace, dependent upon his ability, previous training, and determined ambition. Arrangements are provided for any possible additional time to be devoted to study within the school any time during the regular high school day as well as at the evening sessions.

The fourth activity came about as a result of the study made by the Health Council of the High School. Authorization was given by the School Committee for experimental purposes in anticipation of the postwar education program (1) to revise tentatively the objectives of health education, (2) to expand and give additional emphasis to the health phases of biology, (3) to establish regulations for compulsory health education through the physical education program for sophomores not electing biology, (4) to arrange for a series of health lectures by doctors, health nurses, and others, and (5) to establish elective courses in Home Nursing and Nutrition for senior girls not enrolled in the Household Arts Department.

As a result of the opportunities of the above-mentioned authorization, it is expected that the health program of the school will be better integrated and correlated so that maximum benefits will accrue to all the pupils.

The statutes of the Commonwealth have for many years required an annual testing of the ears and eyes of all pupils in the schools. Year after year the ears were tested by the classroom teacher through means of the so-called "whisper test" and the eyes were tested by the Snellen letter card. Several

years ago Somerville was one of the pioneers in the scientific testing of hearing by use of the Audiometer, which indicates the amount of hearing loss and provides evidence of necessity of attention.

The testing of the eyes will from now on be carried out more efficiently because it has just been possible to acquire the apparatus for carrying out the Massachusetts Vision Test.

The test reveals defects which are common causes of eye-strain as well as those of visual acuity. The test is composed of three parts, as follows: (1) to discover cases where there is low visual acuity, (2) to detect those who may pass the visual acuity tests, but who have eyestrain which may require attention, and (3) to indicate the cases in which there is difficulty in using both eyes together.

Treatment is in no case given, nor is even diagnosis attempted. Reference to a family eye specialist is recommended. The decision for action rests entirely with the parents.

Early in the year authority was given by the School Committee to the Superintendent of Schools to make arrangements with the State Department of Public Health and the Middlesex Health Association for the compulsory X-Ray of the chest of all pupils and teachers in Somerville High School. The State Department of Public Health will provide the apparatus and the services of the personnel of its Traveling Clinic, while the Middlesex Health Association will defray the expense of the purchase of the film. This expense is made possible by the contributions of the citizens of our community in the annual Christmas Seal sale of the Somerville Tuberculosis Committee.

Due to the impossibility of purchasing the necessary film, the examination could not be held during the fall of 1945, but definite arrangements have been made to complete the work of the examination during the two-week period, January 11-25, 1946 inclusive.

Junior High Schools

A committee, composed of junior high school principals and teachers, under the chairmanship of the Assistant Super-

intendent, engaged in an intensive study of the junior high school curriculum for the purpose of evaluating it in the light of present-day educational needs, and also to make definite recommendations for its improvement.

The members of this committee realized full well their responsibility and the splendid opportunity that was theirs to chart an educational course for the junior high school system in the years to come. They proposed certain educational aims to guide them in order that they might proceed according to sound educational philosophy. They agreed that the basic framework of the junior high school is the curriculum, and that without an effective curriculum the junior high school finds itself in precisely the same position as is a builder who bids on a project without plans and specifications and proceeds to erect without better guidance. Thus, if instruction is to be systematically effective, the bedrock, the frame of reference, the plans and specifications of the instruction provided must be in the curriculum. The term "curriculum" is sometimes used to refer to a series of courses, e.g., general curriculum, academic curriculum, and commercial curriculum, but in this study the school curriculum is considered to be all the actual experience of the child under the influence of the school. From this viewpoint the curriculum of each pupil is to some extent different from that of every other pupil.

Having clearly defined the meaning of the term "curriculum", the committee considered its place in the modern junior high school, its purpose, and the task it is supposed to perform. Being the means to an end, and not an end in itself, it should usually follow and reflect educational trends and changes in philosophy. Thus, change in curriculum should be a slow development over many years, not a sudden growth of short duration. Just as changes in educational thought take place slowly over a long period of years, so do the practices resulting from these changes develop slowly. Curriculum alterations usually take place no faster than the customs and ideas of a community are altered. The committee agreed that the curriculum must fit the needs, skills, and abilities of the school population for which it is made.

The plan of action of this committee included numerous scheduled meetings, an extensive survey of present practices in other communities using the junior high school plan, con-

ferences with educators, polls of opinion within our own system, and study of current educational literature on this subject.

In March of this year this committee made recommendations for changes in the junior high school curriculum to take effect in September, 1945. These changes were to be experimental in character, and the results studied closely. The report of the committee follows:

Grade 7

It is recommended that electives be eliminated in the seventh grade and that the program of studies be the same for all the pupils. The seventh grade is essentially a preparation year, providing an opportunity for the pupil to adjust himself to the new situations found in the junior high school, and giving him and his teachers a chance to study his special interests and abilities.

It is further recommended that the number of periods devoted to arithmetic and social studies be increased from five to six periods weekly in each case, and that all pupils in the seventh grade be assigned one period each week of library and one period of physical education. The result of these recommendations is shown in the following comparison:

Present Curriculum, Grade 7		Proposed Curriculum, Grade 7	
	Periods per week		Periods per week
REQUIRED:		English	6
English	6	Arithmetic	6
Arithmetic	5	Social Studies	6
History and Geography	5	American History	3
Hygiene	1	Geography	3
Music	1	Health Education	1
Drawing, Freehand	1	Physical Education	1
Shop Work for Boys, or		Music	1
Cooking and Sewing for		Drawing, Freehand	1
Girls	2	Practical Arts	2
Guidance and Banking	1	Shop Work for Boys, or	
Club	1	Cooking and Sewing for	
Assembly	1	Girls	
ELECTIVE: (Choose one)		Guidance	1
Latin	4	Assembly	1
French	4	Library	1
Spanish	4		
German	4		
Italian	4		
Special Household Arts	3		
*Special Manual Arts	3		
Junior Business Training	3		

* Includes one period per week of Mechanical Drawing, Shop Arithmetic, Drawing and Tool Study.

Grade 8

It is recommended that the number of periods devoted to social studies and arithmetic be increased from five to six periods weekly in each case, and that the number of periods for elective languages be reduced from four to three periods.

Grade 9

It is recommended that the course in bookkeeping in the ninth grade be replaced by a course in general business training, and that the work in general science, for those enrolled in the college preparatory course, be increased from two to five periods weekly.

In April the School Committee, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, approved the recommendations.

This new plan will make an easier transition from the sixth to the seventh grade, it will bring about a more gradual departmentalization, it will provide a greater opportunity for the pupil to adjust himself to the new situation found in the junior high school and give him and his teachers a better chance to study his special interests and abilities, and, lastly, it will provide more time for instruction in the basic skills,—English, mathematics, and social studies.

The plan, having been in operation only since September, has not had time to indicate its degree of effectiveness, positive or negative. It is hoped, however, that by a constant study and analysis throughout the whole of this school year sufficient evidence will be available in the spring of next year to cause definite recommendations to be made with respect to its continuance or further revision and change.

Elementary Schools

So much publicity has been given to the possibilities of destruction and devastation by the Atomic Bomb that the receptive, but not too discriminating, mind of the elementary school child has been filled with a terrific fear for his future well being. This type of propaganda, intended to awaken adults from their lethargy and apathy, should be handled in a manner which should avoid the kind of influence being forced upon our younger children.

Teachers in our schools are striving to combat such evil influences by creating environments within their classrooms to promote trust, sympathy, optimism, loyalty, courage, and charity. Such an environment makes a true classroom spirit of unity and charity. It dissipates fears and produces among pupils a true comradeship, a more tolerant view of the points of view of others, and a desire upon the part of each pupil to do his best in order that all may benefit. The schools aim to make each child feel that he is a valuable and necessary member of the community and that any good done by him is not alone for his benefit, but for the good of the school and the community.

The new basal reading system, put into use in September of 1944 in grade one, has now been introduced into grade two. Teachers and pupils alike find an ease of learning with the new system and far less problems than previously encountered. Somerville, having many races and various spoken languages in the homes of its pupils, must and does try to meet its problems in reading by using every available device. Some of these involve phonetic elements, Basic English, and Basic English films borrowed from Harvard University for testing reading ability of slow readers for both comprehension and oral reading. Experiments have been conducted, involving in one case the use of a longer period of reading readiness, and in another case the use of a more intensive and longer period of time weekly devoted to reading and spelling. Both have proved to be of advantage.

The Somerville Kiwanis Club conducted for the third summer its "Reading Disability Clinic" on an enlarged scale with excellent results. The Kiwanis Club should be commended upon its successful pioneering in this respect. This work, having proved its value, should be continued and expanded under public auspices.

The social welfare responsibilities of the child have been brought to his attention through directing his attention and inviting his cooperation in the various drives in which the school children participated, such as the United War Fund, War Bonds and Stamps, Red Cross, Infantile Paralysis, Tuberculosis, Clothing for United Nations Children, Save the Children Campaign, and Clean Up Campaign.

Health and Safety programs, in which constant progress is being made in promoting already excellent programs, have resulted in favorable health habits and attitudes inculcated through acquaintance with the many agencies offering services for the protection and well being of all children. Moving pictures on Safety have again been shown to all elementary school pupils, through the cooperation of Mr. William Higgins, representing the Registry of Motor Vehicles.

Particular stress has been exerted this year, through providing an abundance of poetry and literature, to develop the idea that poetry and literature properly presented to a child for appreciation and enjoyment will create a love and desire for them which increases in intensity as his years of age increase. Teachers have for some time been collecting and compiling this material and it is now in form for presentation to the pupils of all grades from the kindergarten through grade six.

For some time the study of geography, following the course of study, has been somewhat hampered because publishers of textbooks have not produced new texts because of the fast changing political boundaries occasioned by the progress of the global war. Further purchase of out of date textbooks would have caused a waste of money. During the interim a plenitude of supplementary material has been used, thereby providing up to date material concerning current events. The major stress, however, for some time in geography has been placed upon the physical aspects. Due to marked changes in world affairs and due to the introduction of the new aspects of geography brought on by the air age, it seemed an opportune time to survey and make a complete and thorough analysis of the available map and globe materials, looking forward to a complete installation of modern school maps and globes.

Early in 1945 committees of skilled teachers (both elementary and junior high) and masters were formed to investigate the matter and report findings. All major map publishers were invited to submit materials for investigation. Representatives of the publishers were given an opportunity to present the merits of their respective publications before the committee, which for many weeks examined and compared the various materials submitted. As a result of this investigation a definite program was formulated and recommendations for an authorized list of

maps and globes was presented to the School Committee for approval.

Approval was given to this list in the same manner that textbooks are authorized for use. It is intended to make this material available by purchase as fast as funds are obtainable. During this year the fourth grades have been completely equipped and some materials have been made available for use in the junior high schools. A start on the purchase of fifth grade equipment has just recently been made. Supplementary materials will be considered only after this minimal basal equipment has been completely provided for the various classrooms.

The program as outlined conforms consistently to fundamental principles of modern map pedagogy. Map gradation is provided for by the use of special beginner's maps and a beginner's globe in grade four, and the introduction of color symbology in grade five. The physical-political type of maps and globes is employed uniformly in grades five and six. This type of map utilizes the international color scheme as a standard map language for depicting elevation of land and depth of water. Correct global concepts are given particular attention in this program by (1) stress upon the globe and global perspective maps in grade four, (2) the use of an equal-area land surface world map in subsequent grades, and (3) continued emphasis upon the globe in each grade and classroom.

All of the subjects in our curriculum are constantly being studied, analyzed, and revised in order that the most effective results may be obtained. In consequence the art work in the Somerville schools has in no way been neglected, but has been revised for the better.

The aims of the art work are (1) knowledge of the principles of art, (2) the ability to use them, and (3) the development of an appreciation for them. The course of study, therefore, is arranged in three parts, namely, design, representation, and appreciation.

Design invites experiment and invention. Beginning with simple lines, dots, and shapes, or formal geometric shapes and the standard colors, the pupils even in the first grade learn to organize elements into orderly and beautiful designs. Their originality is proved by the fact that no two patterns are alike

although thirty or forty pupils solve the same problem. Nature's laws of growth are the laws which the designer must understand and obey in creative adventures.

Doing the same thing again and again is the first basic law of order, a natural and easy way of producing consistency, grace of movement, harmony of color, and rhythmic accent. By following this law of repetition, therefore, and by repeating elements,—close, touching, far apart, interlacing, overlapping, and by number,—pupils create and invent lovely designs.

Balance is the other law. It stops motion and brings about rest and equilibrium on an axis and around a center. Following these rules and working out rich designs on paper, the pupil proves to his own satisfaction and the delight of others that he has his share of creative ability, one of God's greatest gifts to man. The work in design in our schools is most satisfactory and the results which are always on display in the various classrooms are worthy of compliments from those who visit the schools. During the holiday season the making of Christmas gifts, such as calendars, blotters, bookmarks, boxes and booklets, affords opportunity for simple construction work and also the application of design.

Usually, about the middle of the school year, work in representation starts. The aim here is to give the pupil opportunity to express himself by means of pictures and to give him enough technical help to enable him to do so with ease. The plan of this work is to give help on the drawing of objects most essential in a recital of the life around the child and to provide a method for putting together or composing a picture. The drawing of the human figure assumes a large place because human beings occupy an important place in the pupil's interest, but objects in the pupil's environment, houses, vehicles, furniture, and trees, also have their place in the study of representation. Primary grade children enjoy drawing imaginative pictures of members of their families, their friends, and their pets.

Boys and girls in intermediate grades derive pleasure from travel and around-the-world subjects. Discussion of these subjects in preparation for illustration develops knowledge about the clothing, shelter, transportation, products, and life habits found in the various countries studied. Junior high students manifest definite interest in sport, school, and community ac-

tivities. Recently two community poster contests were held in connection with the War Fund Drive and the Victory Loan Drive. Junior high school pupils participated in the contest and many posters were of sufficient merit, both in subject and art work, to be entered in the contest. Those who participated showed skill in lettering and painting, but the posters also showed considerable thought on the subjects involved in the contest. These posters were displayed in the Somerville Library after they had been judged and awarded prizes.

The background thus given in design and representation makes possible an appreciation of them, for the pupil will see in great works of art the same laws of design which he uses in his own creations. Examples of master paintings, architecture, sculpture, and the minor arts are presented to the children to open for them the vast treasure house of art in which is stored the beauty of ages.

In the spring, as has been the custom for many years, there was a presentation of all the work of the pupils in the various grades. This exhibition is staged for the benefit of parents, so that they may observe the progress of their own children in comparison with the progress of other children of the same grade. It is also used as an opportunity for teachers of similar grades in other schools in different sections of the city to see the comparisons with their own work, and the effectiveness of different methods and devices.

During this year's exhibition several elementary school supervisors and numerous teachers from other communities (in some cases from quite a distance) were sent by their superintendents of schools to observe and study the results of courses of study and methods and devices which, it has been held in other communities, were impossible of attainment.

The citizens of Somerville can well be proud of the prestige gained by our schools, as evidenced by the letters of commendation which have been received from the visiting personnel of other school systems, and which are on file in the office of the Superintendent.

Special Classes

The activities of the special classes have been carried on this year in accordance with the organization fully explained and discussed in the report of 1944.

The excellent results of the Occupational Opportunity Classes, conceived and pioneered in Somerville, explained in detail last year, after a three-year trial, have created considerable interest by other communities throughout the country. Similar organizations are being contemplated in many other sections of the country, and the Children's Bureau of the United States Department of Education has become extremely interested.

It has recently come to our attention that the Children's Bureau is to make a study of the Somerville part-time cooperative plan of employment of fourteen to sixteen year old non-academic pupils, with the purpose in view of reporting its findings to the country at large, after a comparison of the activities of our plan with the plan of a neighboring community, which carries on only a regular program of instruction for those nonacademic pupils who are by state law assigned to the special class type of education.

Again, attention is called to the added prestige accruing to the administration of the Somerville schools resulting from its pioneering in the field of practical education.

Vocational Schools

The excellent program conducted in the Vocational School for the defense factories in and around Somerville, which has been in continuous operation since June 1940, was brought to a successful completion with the coming of V-E Day. All vocational defense classes along the eastern seaboard were closed on June 30. The entire program of our school was immediately reconverted to a partial peacetime basis and the coming of V-J Day, during the summer, enabled the school to make a change, beginning on its postwar plans in September.

Preparation was made by the school for the permanent changes that were imminent in industry. More and more it became apparent that the student in vocational schools must have a real knowledge of science and mathematics, and that a great amount of attention must be given to the technical side of trade education, if the graduate from such a school is to keep pace with the changing conditions in industry. In this respect the newly organized Vocational High School course has assured the young man in vocational work that he will be able to keep pace with these changes. More time in the academic department has

been assigned to General Science, Physics, and Mathematics. The related work in the shop departments also has been revised to stress the importance of technical requirements for the trade.

The first graduation of the Somerville Vocational High School will take place this coming June. This high school course, now comprising about fifty per cent of the total enrollment of the Vocational School, will certainly help attain the aim of Vocational Education, which is to prepare the student for genuine happiness and useful citizenship by reason of being trained for successful employment. The establishment and continuation of this very fine type of education will enable the boy interested in trade and technical work to take his proper place side by side with the young man in the professional field.

The School is cooperating with the State Department of Education and Veterans Administration in establishing courses of study in the various industries in Somerville that are contemplating the training of veterans under the G.I. Bill of Rights. The State Department of Education has asked each local vocational school to be responsible for the establishment of all training stations in its city, and for the supervision of them at regular periods during the entire training period. At the present time a committee, consisting of the Director of the school and the Head of the Automobile Department, has set up and is supervising eight such courses.

It seems advisable at this time to consider seriously an extension of the present curriculum because of the need of trained workers in comparatively new industries, such as Diesel engines, radio, television, and refrigeration. Specialization is the theme of the times in industrial plants and something should be done to provide for these opportunities in our school. Sheet metal work and pattern making on a senior vocational basis should also be considered.

The recent change in the State Law concerning evening vocational extension classes should be considered now with respect to the advisability of reopening the Vocational School for evening instruction. If, after a survey, it is deemed advisable to reopen this phase of vocational education, our program of vocational training would be complete in every respect. We would then be caring for the out-of-school youth and the employed adult could be retrained or upgraded on his job. This,

in conjunction with our regular day school, would round out a complete vocational training program.

SCHOOLS - AT - WORK

As our nation gratefully observed first V-E Day and then V-J Day, it became clear that although actual hostilities had ceased for our fighting forces, there was still much work to be done on the home front. It is, therefore, significant to note that our Schools-At-War program, which played such a vital part in our educational system during the war, was carried on into the Schools-for-Victory program immediately following the cessation of hostilities and has now become the Schools-At-Work program.

The Schools-At-War program stressed, sought to develop, and provided opportunity for the practice of those characteristics on the part of individuals which were needed by our citizenry for the successful prosecution of the war. The sale of War Bonds and Stamps through the schools, interrelated with the curriculum of the schools, has been not only a source of considerable revenue to the government, but it has encouraged personal thrift among the participants with all its attendant benefits. Conservation in all matters of supplies and materials to help the war effort fostered the habit of saving for future use and future security. The efforts made to retain the Treasury "Minute Man" flags by the schools through the purchase of Stamps and Bonds were far-reaching. A spirit of cooperation was nurtured, which taught the value of unity of purpose and the strength which comes from working together for a common goal. As the needs of war called forth these admirable qualities, our teachers and pupils responded with an intense vigor which produced outstanding results.

The war over, it has been recognized that it is precisely those same qualities, exercised with the same intentness of purpose, that are necessary for successful living in the world at peace. There is imperative need for the same intensive effort for individuals to exert themselves to sacrifice, to save, and to serve together. The ravages of this war have left the world in such a tragic state of destruction, both physically and spiritually, that it becomes the clear duty of educators to do all in their power to develop in our future citizens such strength of character, based on the solid foundations of democratic ideas

and ideals, that they can rightfully take their place in helping build the new and better world. For these reasons, the Schools-At-Work program is now operating on the same lines as the Schools-At-War program, with the Stamp and Bond sales continuing as the focal point.

No better illustration of the extent to which these programs have been carried out in our Somerville schools can be given than by stating that since Pearl Harbor the total amount of Stamps and Bonds sold through the schools is close to one million dollars.

It is a tribute to both masters and teachers that they have intensified their efforts under the Schools-At-Work program to achieve continued success in pupil participation records. The direct appeal and exciting wartime incentives to buy Stamps and Bonds to aid our fighting men are no longer present; rather, the more cogent, thoughtful arguments must form the basis for stimulating the pupils in order to arouse their interest. The care of our wounded and sick veterans, the prevention of inflation, the desirability of saving for personal investment and security, and the necessity of guarding the torch of liberty, are some of the highlights.

The response which our schools made to the Victory Loan Drive and the Hospital Unit and Equipment Campaign, conducted since the opening of the fall term, was evidence of the good work which our teaching personnel has done to make our boys and girls conscious of their individual and collective responsibilities. The sum of \$85,300 was realized. This money was used in the Hospital Unit and Equipment Campaign, which met with singular success, for it provided twenty-eight Hospital Units at \$3,000 each and other hospital equipment in an amount of \$1300. Twenty-eight hospital beds in Veteran's Hospitals will bear the names of Somerville Schools as their sponsors, and will be constant reminders to the veterans that their service to their country has not been forgotten and that the school children are helping to "finish the job".

The Victory Loan Poster Contest, conducted in the senior and junior high schools during the Victory Drive, was an illuminating example of how thoroughly the pupils have grasped the significance of the basic needs for the continued purchase of Stamps and Bonds. The Central Public Library cooperated by

staging a public exhibition of all the posters submitted in the contest in order that the community might have the opportunity of viewing the skillful portrayal of the ideas.

There has been a continuation of the stimulative work in the individual schools along the lines of development which each has found best suited to its needs. Citations and awards for specific accomplishments and extraordinary efforts in the various campaigns have accumulated in the schools and bear witness to the results which have been obtained. With grateful acknowledgment, we recognize the valuable assistance which the many interested agencies of the city have continued to render our School Department in connection with this phase of our work.

We can look back with pride on the accomplishments of our Somerville schools during the war, knowing that the unified pattern of work carried on in all the schools from the lowest grades through the High School, according to the age level of the pupils, was brought to successful fruition through the loyal service and keen sense of duty which our masters and teachers feel toward their country, their profession, and their schools. We look forward with anticipation to the future with awareness of the seriousness of our duties. With thrift as a cornerstone in the character-building process of the Schools-At-Work program, we in Somerville have already entered upon the tasks which face us in preparing our American youth for leadership in the world.

MEMBERSHIP

The public school membership as of December 3, 1945 was 13,986. In comparison with the membership of the corresponding date of 1944, 14,080, there has been a decrease of only 94

The membership of the High School has increased by 30, and that of the elementary schools by 73. These gains have been offset by decreases in the junior high schools of 107, in the Vocational School of 12, and in the Junior Vocational School of 11, resulting in a net loss of 94.

The decrease, it will be noted, is, as it was in the last year, entirely due to the junior high school age group. It is small in comparison with the decreases of other communities in the Commonwealth, and, in view of the many factors now causing

children of this age to leave school, can be cited with pride as an administrative accomplishment of the ability through efficient organization and offerings to keep children in school.

PERSONNEL

During the year just closing, five teachers terminated their active service to the children of our community by retirement under the provisions of the Retirement Act of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Clara G. Hegan, Lillias T. Lawton, Alice C. Blodgett, Octavia A. Stewart, and Wesley A. Maynard had rendered faithful, loyal, and devoted service of forty-four, thirty, twenty-eight, twenty-seven and a half, and twenty and a half years respectively, and these services were recognized by letters of appreciation by the School Committee.

In addition, one teacher resigned because of ill health, one resigned to accept a position on the west coast because of the poor health of her father, and seven resigned to devote their energies to the responsibilities of marriage. Two of those teachers who had married men in the armed forces and had been continued after resignation for the duration of their husbands' services, terminated their teaching tasks during the year. An elementary school teacher, Muriel P. King, joined the WAC and was granted leave of absence for the duration of her service. Inasmuch as this young lady was the only member of the instructional corps who left her teaching duties during 1945 to enter the Armed Forces, and in view of the fact that it seems that there is no further necessity for others now to enter such activity, the Honor Roll, containing the names of five members of the School Committee and fifty-five members of the instructional force, will be recorded in full in a later page of this report.

In the spring of 1945 the six persons in key positions who had been employed after retirement by authority of the provisions of the emergency legislation, Chapter 16 of the Acts and Resolves of the General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of the year 1942, were requested to continue their tasks during the school year 1945-46.

In preparing the organization for the opening of schools in the fall, at the suggestion of the Superintendent of Schools the high and junior high school masters, cognizant of the fact

that the active war was practically terminated after V-J Day and that over fifty of our teachers who were on leave of absence serving in the armed forces would be returning to their teaching duties, set up their teaching programs on the basis of larger teaching loads, so that adjustment of classes could easily be made upon the return of the veterans to teaching. Up to the time of writing this report, twenty-four have returned to their former positions with increased vigor and ardor and a broadened experience which will without doubt add greatly to their abilities as teachers. Their students will be the beneficiaries from such attitudes and experiences.

It surely is extremely gratifying to find so many of the veterans returning willingly and with enthusiasm to their teaching duties, for it was anticipated that some, at least those with high ratings in the Army and Navy, might be induced to follow a military or naval career. That so many of our teachers attained high ratings is surely an indication that in selecting teachers our plan for rating of candidates is a successful one, and that the faculty of our schools is composed of men and women of excellent training, ability, and experience.

The sooner that all our teachers on leave are returned to service, the sooner it will be felt that our faculty is at full strength and that our schools are operating at full capacity. Commendation must be extended, however, to those well trained, well qualified persons who met the rigid requirements of the eligibility rules of the School Committee, who ambitiously assumed the duties of the absentees and gave creditable service to the educational system and the community.

At this time it is in order to report upon an investigation of the training of teachers, which was made early in the year by the Massachusetts Teachers Federation. Our teachers rank among the highest in the state as regards the attainment of college degrees. Such a statement indicates the progressive improvement in the educational background and training of our teachers, and is an evidence of the wisdom shown by the School Committee of 1923, which devised the Professional Improvement Plan, so successful in operation since that time.

During the past fifteen years the percentage of teachers holding college degrees has steadily increased. In 1930, of a total of 259 elementary school teachers, only 3.1% had earned

bachelor degrees. By 1942, of 272 teachers, the percentage had climbed to 38.7, while during the current year 46 per cent of the 265 elementary school teachers have degrees.

In 1930, of the 134 junior high teachers, 29% held degrees, but fifteen years later 66% of the 146 teachers hold either bachelor of arts, bachelor of science, or bachelor of education degrees.

In 1930 there were 95 teachers in the High School, of which 69.5% held degrees. By 1939 the ratio had climbed to 89.6% of the 130 teachers. During the war years, 1942 to date, the percentage has dropped to 83, but this is due to our loss to the armed forces, and with the return of the veterans the figure of 89.6 will be exceeded.

Many of our teachers, however, are not content with the bachelor degree and consequently pursue summer and late afternoon courses to the end that master's and sometimes doctor's degrees are earned. At the present time 15 elementary, 33 junior high, and 39 senior high teachers hold master's degrees, and we are proud to report that there are associated with our system 5 who hold doctor's degrees. Every encouragement is given by the School Committee to the teachers to attain higher degrees through the Professional Improvement Plan.

Another item which should be reported here because it shows evidence of the prestige of the personnel of the Somerville School system is the recognition extended recently to three of our teachers. Former Lt. Commander J. Edward Sharkey, teacher at the Vocational School, has been loaned to the Vocational Division of the State Department of Education for the remainder of the present school year to inspect, supervise, and organize courses in plants and industries where veterans are being trained.

Albert Williamson, Jr., teacher of Guidance at the Southern Junior High School, who was associated with a psychological activity in the U. S. Army, was asked by Harvard University to work during the remainder of this school year with its Veterans' Advisory Council, assisting veterans who wish to continue their education under the G.I. Bill of Rights.

Leo Lapidus, a teacher in the High School, served as an instructor of mathematics in an Air Force Training Center during the war, and last summer and during two months of this fall was loaned to Dartmouth College to act as a civilian instructor in connection with a naval program conducted at the college.

These men were valuable members of our staff prior to the call to serve outside, but upon their return their experiences and knowledge will make them greater assets.

Too often the school department and its personnel are subject to criticism rather than to the appreciation which should be forthcoming for a job well done. Such instances as these are but a very few of many such examples which could be mentioned that give evidence that the great majority of the members of our force take real professional pride in the accomplishment of a task well done, and should receive recognition for it.

BUILDINGS AND REPAIRS

As was stated earlier in this report, the School Committee considered seriously the possibilities of a long-term building program which would provide adequate replacements of several antiquated school buildings which are quite unsuited in architecture, design, and equipment for modern educational needs and demands. In the latter part of the year it sanctioned and approved the program of postwar building projects which the Superintendent of Schools outlined to the Mayor's Postwar Planning Committee.

The program proposes the replacement of those school buildings which have served the city well for periods of from fifty to eighty years, and which now cost more to maintain for further use than is logically and reasonably proportional to the cost of replacement. It further proposes the construction of an administration building to house the administrative, legislative, and supervisory activities and thus release the present quarters now used by these groups in the west wing of the High School for secondary school purposes.

Because of the necessity of submitting proposals for projects to the proper federal agency at an early date in order to secure early attention to these proposals, the Postwar Plan-

ning Committee accepted the statement of the Superintendent of Schools concerning trends in population, birth rate, safety conditions, mobility of population, and other necessary factors which would bring about the proper conclusions so that buildings will be correctly located geographically in view of the purposes to be served.

The Postwar Planning Committee submitted seven projects to the Federal Works Agency for the use of possible federal aid for the schools, as follows:

(1) The replacement of the Prescott School, at Pearl and Myrtle Streets, by a new building of sixteen rooms and other necessary accommodations.

(2) The replacement of three other elementary buildings by new structures of twelve rooms each, to accommodate the pupils of the present Morse, Pope, and Knapp Schools.

(3) Making provision for the enlargement of either the Burns or Lowe buildings, both of which are aptly located on streets other than main traffic thoroughfares, to care for the pupils now housed in either of these schools as well as those housed in the antiquated Cholerton building, which stands at the corner of Grove Street and Highland Avenue, and occupies the next available lot for extending the business area of Davis Square. Such an enlarged building would have sixteen rooms, and provision will need to be made for suitable outdoor play area.

(4) The construction of a two story and basement building, 100 feet by 60 feet, to house (a) the administrative offices, (b) meeting rooms for the School Committee, (c) quarters for supervisors, (d) rooms for meetings of teachers, and (e) storerooms for school supplies. This building, which is proposed as a wing of the present City Hall, is needed to allow the use of the present quarters in the High School building for high school purposes. These quarters were designed, at the time of the extension of the High School plant, when the Latin School was torn down, by the Superintendent of Schools so that when necessity arose a few days of carpentry work in erecting partitions would provide seven or nine additional classrooms for the High School.

(5) The construction of a municipal stadium on Richard Trum Field at Cedar Street and Broadway for the use of not only the athletic teams of Somerville High School, but for those of the community at large. Such a project has been a necessity for Somerville for twenty years and it will amply cover the needs of our citizens. It is planned to use the perimeter of the stadium to house the various public works departments of the City, using the space otherwise ordinarily wasted in the building of concrete bleacher structures. The Planning Committee states that this proposal for a concrete and brick structure located on an area of 560,000 square feet will serve as a monument to the returning veterans of World War II and will serve a useful purpose for the athletes of both sexes, as well as for the citizens and taxpayers, by reason of the housing of all public works departments under one roof.

It is hoped that work may be started on these projects as soon as adequate materials, labor, and funds are available. The applications to the F.W.A. suggest that these projects be in process of construction during the spring and summer of 1946.

During the past year the Commissioner of Public Buildings has shown a sympathetic understanding of the problems of the schools in relation to present school buildings and has made every effort possible to maintain them in a safe and habitable condition.

The Perry School, erected in 1899, received during the past year the most extensive repairs, which have provided many more years of usefulness. The interior of this building was completely painted and varnished. The selection of pastel shades for classrooms and corridors marks a departure from the conventional colors used in our school buildings previously, but nevertheless such a change is well received when it provides the children a more joyous environment in which to work and develop. The heating equipment has been overhauled, desks have been repaired and refinished, and the fire alarm bells have been repaired. This building is worth visiting.

The Burns School, which is fifty-nine years old, has been completely redecorated and is now in a very habitable condition. Plaster was renewed wherever necessary, all walls and ceilings have been painted and whitened, and the heating, ven-

tilating, and plumbing systems have been completely repaired. All outside doors were painted and the fence in the yard was repaired.

The Northeastern Junior High School has long been in need of extensive repairs. Some important improvements were made during the last year. The entire auditorium was redecorated in attractive colors and the front hall was painted and varnished. A new curtain was installed on the stage and a new fluorescent lighting system was provided for the auditorium. The fire alarm system was repaired, a new hot water heater was installed, and more lights were provided where needed. Necessary plumbing, heating, and ventilating repairs were also completed.

The Western Junior High School has had many necessary repairs during the last year. The administration offices were painted and varnished and also four classrooms were completely redecorated. Bells and telephones were repaired and extensive electrical, plumbing, and heating repairs were completed.

Very favorable comment has been made concerning the splendid manner in which the Commissioner of Public Buildings remodeled the Sight Saving Class at the Cholerton School. In order that these children who have only a minimum of sight might do their studying under the most favorable circumstances, the room was painted and varnished, new shades were installed, and, most important of all, the room was equipped with fluorescent lighting. Due to the new electrical fixtures and the improvement in the reflecting surface afforded by the painting and whitening, the amount of light has been increased to approximately sixty foot candles.

The special class room at the Prescott School was recently painted and varnished and new shades were provided. The administration office of the School Department was similarly recently redecorated and new shades and radiator guards were installed.

Glass was replaced in twenty-seven school buildings and new window cords were installed in fifteen buildings. Electrical repairs were made in twenty-two buildings, including repairs to telephones, clocks, bells, fire alarm systems, heating

fans, lights, fuses, switches, and the installation of new lighting. The roofs of ten buildings were repaired. A considerable amount of painting was done in twenty-five buildings, and included redecorating of classrooms and corridors, refinishing outside trim, desk tops, and other furniture, painting and varnishing of doors and seats in sanitariums. Plumbing and heating repairs were made in twenty-eight buildings. This problem grows more acute each year due to the large percentage of very old buildings. Door checks and panic locks were repaired at the Cummings School and the High School. Fences were repaired at the Pope, the Prescott, and the Vocational Schools. Plastering was done at the Burns, Cutler, Forster, Hodgkins, Prescott, and the High School. Ash hoists were repaired at the Central Heating Plant and the Carr School. An extensive amount of carpentry was done throughout the schools. Appreciation is due and hereby expressed to the Commissioner of Public Buildings for his efforts on behalf of the school children of Somerville.

COSTS

It has always been a privilege and a source of pride to the Superintendent of Schools to point to statistics gathered by the State Department of Education which showed that the school system of Somerville, the seventh largest city in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, with the fourth largest school population in the State (being exceeded in that respect only by Boston, Worcester, and Springfield), has operated its schools at a per capita cost far less each year than the average of the thirty-nine cities of the State. During the school year ending June 30, 1945, the per capita cost of the Somerville schools was four dollars less than the average of the thirty-nine cities of the State, and it ranked twenty-seventh in this respect among these thirty-nine cities.

RECAPITULATION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

In submitting this, his eighteenth annual report, covering the calendar year 1945, the Superintendent of Schools has attempted to present to the public a discussion of pertinent matters involved in the activities of our schools, and to call attention to necessary considerations for thought, study, and action during the coming municipal year.

Attempt has been made to follow the progress of the developments of the war and the implications for education which evolved due to the frequent and ever-changing complexion of the war situation, and attention has been called to the alert, energetic, and ambitious manner in which the administrators and supervisors kept abreast of the problems resulting from the fast changing implications, by studies and analyses, which allowed the necessary recommendations, temporary and otherwise, to be made speedily and to the end that the educational program has been timely, full, and complete, quite adequate to the situation.

The proposals for changes necessitated legislation by the School Committee, which was enacted after careful, thoughtful, and farsighted discussion. Much credit is due the members of the School Committee, who, under the chairmanship of Thomas J. Burke, have made possible through the proper legislation the progress of the year. Mr. Burke, a graduate of our Somerville school system and a successful businessman of the community, expended much time and energy to acquaint himself with the problems of the educational system which in his opinion needed attention. His activities, evidenced by the frequent matters he submitted to the Committee for consideration showed his conscientious and keen desire to perform his duties well.

The teachers, one and all, have given of their energy and time in preparing themselves and their work for the new ideas developed through the changing frontiers in education, and have guided their pupils to a successful accomplishment.

The entire organization has cooperated loyally and speedily to make the necessary adjustments and revisions and yet, at all times, the standards of achievement have been maintained. It is the intent of the organization to continue with even more energy in the activities which will be conceived and put into operation for the development of a better citizenry, to the end that a permanent and lasting peace may be established throughout the world.

The recommendations made in the report for the year 1944 were forward looking with respect to the necessary plans for several years to come, but since only a portion of them received attention, serious consideration is urged to those items men-

tioned last year which have not as yet received any action, in addition to others which now seem pertinent.

It is therefore recommended that thought and study be given immediately to the following:

(1) That serious consideration be given to an extension of the present offerings at the Vocational School to provide for the need of trained workers in comparatively new industries, such as Diesel engines, radio, television, and refrigeration. It might also be borne in mind that the anticipated boom in the building trades will require trained workers, and there is a dire need of replacement help in the moulding, sheet metal, and pattern making trades.

(2) That to make room for the proposed extension in the previous recommendation a survey be made in preparation for the dissipation of the elementary school and the special class organization housed now in the Edgerly School section of the Dickerman building.

(3) That consideration be given to an extension of the Professional Improvement Plan for the purpose of stimulating a speedy preparation for the new postwar developments.

(4) That another attempt be made to the Legislature for enactment of legislation which will place the jurisdiction for the care and maintenance of school buildings under the control of the School Committee.

(5) That his Honor the Mayor and the Honorable City Government be urged to use every available influence to provide immediately the accommodations applied for by the Post war Planning Committee in the projects presented for consideration by the F.W.A.

(6) That the School Committee take formal action to request the Board of Health to consider the advisability of revising its present medical inspection plan for school children in order to make possible a more thorough annual examination of the children, by the employment of an adequately compensated full-time force of two or three physicians to replace the force of seven inadequately paid inspectors of the present time.

(7) That provision be made for an extension of the arrangements for X-Ray examinations of the chests of school children, so that all in the city may be cared for.

(8) That a thorough study be made immediately of the administrative organization of the High School, to the end that a more closely knit and more effective unit will be developed.

(9) That consideration be given to the establishment of evening school classes at the Vocational School.

(10) That consideration be given to the advisability of establishing a reading disability clinic, the need and benefits of which have been so well demonstrated by the project of the Somerville Kiwanis Club during the last three summers.

CONCLUSION

The year 1945 just closing has been one of the most serious that this country has ever experienced. During a period slightly over eight months there was involved (1) the most intensive and costly warfare of the entire global conflict, (2) the period of thanksgiving experienced by the advent of the cessation of hostilities in Europe on V-E Day, (3) the mingled feeling of sadness and rejoicing upon the receipt of the news that Japan had capitulated on V-J Day, and (4) the period of anxiety combined with hope that our statesmen and those of the other nations of the globe can pool their faith in the ability of all to establish a world organization that will develop and maintain a permanent and lasting peace which will allow all the peoples of the Earth to live in harmony and with brotherly love until the end of time.

Such a year, with the frequent and speedy changes, created situations for all the nations of the world, not easily or quickly solvable. Naturally such conditions made perplexing and intricate problems for the schools. Our schools have recognized the responsibilities and duties of Education, and have enthusiastically, energetically, and successfully performed their necessary tasks.

In conclusion, the Superintendent of Schools, fully cognizant of the fact that his duties and responsibilities could

not have been fulfilled without loyal and cooperative assistance, wishes to express his most sincere gratitude and appreciation to the Chairman and members of the School Committee, to the administrative, supervisory, and teaching forces, to all other school employees, and to the children in the schools, for their devoted, faithful, and enthusiastic assistance during these most trying times.

Such an organization, by a continuance of the attitudes and performances of past years, will surely maintain and extend its success with ever increasing efficiency, to the end that the citizens of Somerville can be assured of a successful educational system in the world at peace.

EVERETT W. IRELAND,

Superintendent of Schools

January 2, 1946

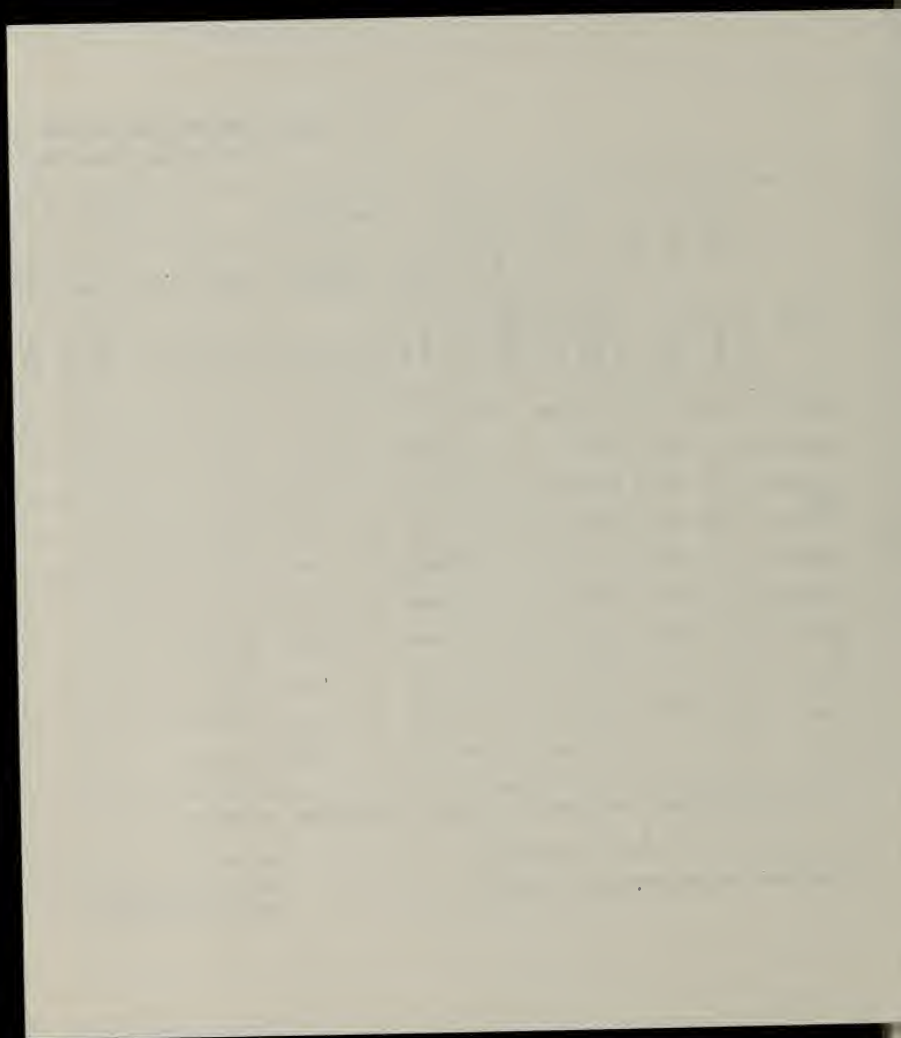
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For School Year Ending June 30, 1945

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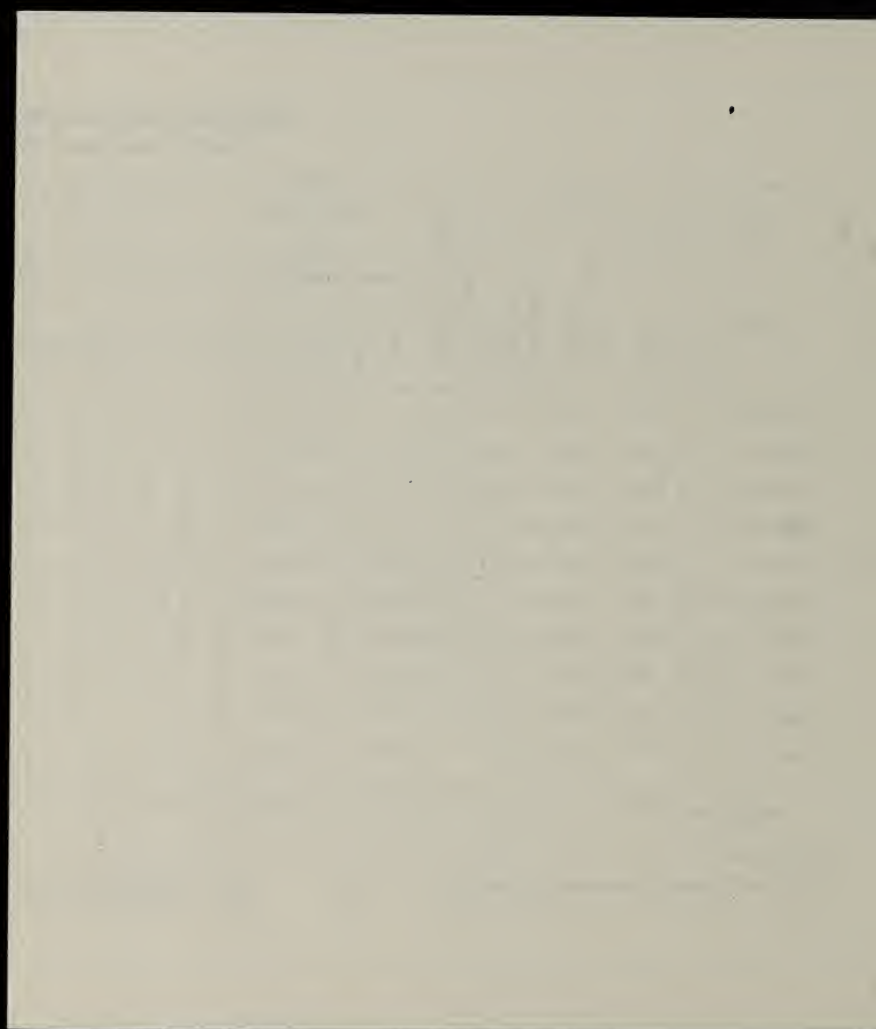
STATEMENT OF WORK OF SCHOOL NURSES
For School Year Ending June 30, 1945

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PART II

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SUMMARY OF STATISTICS

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Population, State census, 1895	52,200
Population, United States census, 1900	61,643
Population, State census, 1905	69,272
Population, United States census, 1910	77,236
Population, State census, 1915	86,854
Population, United States census, 1920	93,033
Population, State census, 1925	99,032
Population, United States census, 1930	103,604
Population, State census, 1935	100,773
Population, United States census, 1940	102,304
Children, between five and fifteen years of age inclusive, October, 1945 by school census	16,372

2 — SCHOOL BUILDINGS

Number of school buildings in June	31
Number of classrooms in use in June	527
Valuation of school property	\$4,869,800

3 — TEACHERS

	*1944	*1945	Change
In high school	113	110	—3
In junior high schools	142	139	—3
In elementary schools	213	210	—3
In kindergartens	28	28	0
Total; elementary and kindergarten	241	238	—3
Vocational School for Boys	17	17	0
Independent Household Arts	1	1	0
Atypical classes	12	11	—1
Sight saving	1	1	0
Cadet teachers	6	9	+3
Special	17	16	—1
Continuation	4	4	0
Americanization	1	1	0
Total	555	547	—8

4 — ATTENDANCE FOR YEAR

	*1944	*1945	Change
Entire enrollment for the year	14,975	14,760	—215
Average number belonging	13,742	13,693	49
Average number attending	12,296	12,348	+52
Per cent, of daily attendance	89.5	90.1	+0.06
High School graduates	677	677	0
Junior High School graduates	1,016	1,032	+16

5 — COST OF SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

	*1944	*1945	Change
Salaries of teachers	\$1,275,817.79	\$1,275,899.21	+ \$81.42
Salaries of officers	36,009.24	33,500.50	—2,508.74
Cost of books and supplies	36,078.61	50,045.76	+13,967.15
Cost of light and power	23,350.42	26,711.85	+3,361.43
Cost of janitors' services, etc.	113,867.88	129,583.91	+15,716.03
Cost of fuel and insurance	63,036.95	64,219.51	+1,182.56
Total cost of day and evening schools	1,548,160.89	1,579,960.74	+31,799.85
Per capita cost	112.66	115.21	+2.55
Cost of high school instruction	301,775.70	294,610.30	—7,165.40
Per capita cost	121.05	118.17	—2.88

6 — MISCELLANEOUS

	*1944	*1945	Change
Paid for new school build- ings .....	.....	.....	.....
Repairs and permanent im- provements	\$104,147.49	\$149,800.98	+45,653.49
Total school expenditures ..	1,652,308.38	1,729,761.72	+77,453.34
Valuation of city	115,794,150.00	116,941,600.00	+1,147,450.00
Number of dollars spent to maintain schools out of every \$1,000 of valuation	13.37	13.51	+0.14
Number of dollars spent for all school purposes out of every \$1,000 of valuation	14.27	13.93	—0.34

* School year.

COST OF THE SCHOOLS

The total amount spent for the maintenance of the schools of Somerville for the school year ending June 30, 1945, is \$1,579,960.74.

This includes the sum spent for care of school buildings, including janitors' services, fuel and light; the amount paid for salaries of officers, the amount spent for school and administrative supplies and services; and the sum paid for salaries of teachers.

The expenditures for *care for school buildings* is wholly in charge of the City Government.

The amount paid for janitors is	\$129,583.91
The cost of fuel is	64,219.51
The cost of light is	26,711.85
A total cost of	220,515.27
A total cost per capita of	16.08
Cost of repairs	149,800.98

The second important expenditure is wholly under the control of the School Committee and is covered by what is known as the "*School Contingent*" appropriation. The following is the itemized account.

Expenditures	Total	Day Schools			Evening Schools			Jr. Vocational Continuation School and American- ization Work
		High	Junior	Elementary	Vocational	High	Elementary	
Office Salaries.....	\$33,170.58	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Office expenses	3,267.74	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Text Books	18,111.53	\$5,419.31	\$4,389.69	\$7,704.30	\$524.46	\$66.81	.....	\$6.96
Stationery and Supplies and Other expenses	21,919.15	5,446.29	5,382.21	7,349.89	3,379.83	1.29	.....	359.64
of Instruction ..	5,119.53	1,008.79	611.81	3,201.69	250.82	1.53	.....	44.89
Miscellaneous (Tuition, etc.) ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	\$81,588.53	\$11,874.39	\$10,383.71	\$18,255.88	\$4,155.11	\$69.63	.....	\$411.49

The third, and by far the largest, element of the cost of schools is the sum spent for the *salaries of teachers*. This expenditure is under the control of the School Committee.

The following statement shows the distribution of the sums paid for salaries.

Expenditures	Total	Day Schools			Evening Schools			Jr. Vocational Continuation School and American- ization Work
		High	Junior	Elementary	Vocational	High	Elementary	
Supervisors	\$22,490.07	\$3,068.12	\$3,350.00	\$14,483.95	.....	.....	.....	\$1,588.00
Principals	46,143.51	4,317.68	12,150.00	25,533.33	\$38.50	\$292.50	.....	.....
Teachers	1,207,265.63	287,224.50	323,032.46	537,517.39	48,135.90	1,332.00	\$135.00	9,730.88
Total	\$1,275,899.21	\$294,610.30	\$338,532.46	\$577,534.67	\$51,985.90	\$1,624.50	\$157.50	\$11,318.88

The *total outlay for all school purposes includes* all the preceding and the sums spent for schoolhouse repairs and new buildings:

The total outlay for the school year ending June 30, 1945, is as follows:

Care	\$220,515.27
Contingent	50,045.76
Salaries	1,309,399.71
Total for school maintenance	1,579,960.74
Paid for repairs	149,800.98
Paid for new buildings .....	.....
Total for all school purposes	\$1,729,761.72

Each dollar of the sum spent for the support of schools has been divided in the following proportion:

	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Janitors salaries	\$0.072	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.074	\$0.074	\$0.082
Heat and light	0.038	0.036	0.039	0.047	0.056	0.058
Administration	0.021	0.021	0.021	0.022	0.023	0.021
School supplies	0.031	0.030	0.031	0.021	0.023	0.032
Teachers salaries	0.838	0.838	0.834	0.826	0.824	0.807
	\$1.000	\$1.000	\$1.000	\$1.000	\$1.000	\$1.000

Per Capita cost. The proper method of comparison of the cost of schools year by year is to consider the sum spent for each pupil in the average membership. In this computation we exclude the cost of evening schools, and the vocational schools. The following shows:

The Per Capita Cost of Day Schools for 1944 and 1945

	High School.			Junior High Schools.			Elementary Schools.			All Day Schools.		
	1944.	1945.	Change	1944.	1945.	Change	1944.	1945.	Change	1944.	1945.	Change
Instruction.....	\$124.51	\$102.62	-\$21.89	\$105.16	\$106.16	+\$1.00	\$75.41	\$75.38	-\$0.03	\$91.74	\$92.39	+\$0.65
Supplies.....	4.14	5.27	+1.13	2.99	3.71	+0.72	1.58	2.58	+1.00	2.40	3.36	+0.96
Care.....	16.08	16.91	+0.83	13.79	16.13	+2.34	13.51	14.73	+1.22	14.04	15.51	+1.47
Total.....	\$144.73	\$124.80	-\$19.93	\$121.94	\$126.00	+\$4.06	\$90.50	\$92.69	+\$2.19	\$108.18	\$111.26	+\$3.08

Including the cost of maintainance of evening schools, the per capita cost is as follows:

	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Cost of Instruction ..	\$77.92	\$75.80	\$81.26	\$86.12	\$91.77	\$92.29
Cost of Supplies	2.72	2.55	2.73	3.05	2.40	3.36
Cost of Care	10.01	9.71	10.92	12.35	14.04	15.49
Total	<u>\$90.65</u>	<u>\$88.10</u>	<u>\$94.91</u>	<u>\$101.52</u>	<u>\$108.21</u>	<u>\$111.14</u>

An examination of these tables shows that we have paid \$3.89 less for the instruction of each pupil in the High School than in 1944, and \$1.13 more per pupil for supplies.

The elementary schools have cost three cents less per pupil for instruction, and \$1.00 more for supplies.

The amount spent for the school year 1945 was \$13.51, or 14 cents more than was spent in 1944. The amount yielded for each child in the average membership of the schools for 1945, not including the vocational schools, was \$111.14.

TABLE 1—SCHOOLHOUSES, DECEMBER, 1945

Name	No. of Classrooms	No. of Sittings	Size of Lot, including Space occupied by Building	Class of Construction	How Heated	How Ventilated	Valuation including Furniture	When Built	Enlargements
High School	*102	3,047	†.....	A-C	Steam	Fan	†\$1,263,500	1895	{ 8 rooms added 1906 30 rooms added 1913 27 rooms and Gymnasium added 1928
Prescott }	13	{ 863 486	49,310 24,517	C	Steam	Fan	139,200 59,900	1867 1916 1889	4 rooms added 1894
Southworth }	†11								
Knapp	†13			C	Steam	Gravity			
Pope	12	564	27,236	C	Steam	Gravity	88,600	1891	{ 8 rooms added 1923 Alterations and Additions made in 1931
Southern Junior High	47	1,308	64,460	A-C	Steam	Fan	374,400	1918	
Vocational { Edgerly Elementary Continuation	8 6	335	43,927	A	Steam	Unit System	372,800	1936	
Boys' Vocational	\$18	.....							
Gilnes	†14	642	28,800	C	Steam	Gravity	101,400	1891	
Chandler (Northeastern Jr. High)	35	1,499	74,124	A	Steam	Fan	638,900	1923	
Forster }	13	{ 756	30,632	C	Steam	Gravity	112,000	1866 1899	
Folsom }	13								
Carried forward	305	9,500					\$3,150,700		

† Buildings are located on Central Hill Park, which contains 13-1/10 acres; land not included in valuation.

* Includes home rooms, laboratories, shops, assembly rooms, etc.

‡ One room used for dental clinic.

§ Includes related work rooms.

A—Brick walls, concrete floors and corridors.

B—Brick walls, concrete corridors, wooden floors.

C—Brick exterior walls.

TABLE 1—CONCLUDED, SCHOOLHOUSES, DECEMBER, 1945

Name	No. of Classrooms	No. of Sittings	Size of Lot, including Space occupied by Building	Class of Construction	How Heated	How Ventilated	Valuation including Furniture	When Built	Enlargements
Brought forward	305	9,500					\$3,150,700		
Bingham	16	657	35,586	C	Steam	Gravity	82,000	1886	{ 4 rooms added 1894 8 rooms added 1904
Carr	15	649	20,450	C	Steam	Gravity	63,100	1898	
Morse	12	484	29,000	C	Steam	Gravity	64,000	1869	6 rooms added 1890
Cholerton (Highland)	12	422	23,260	C	Steam	Gravity	73,600	1880	4 rooms added 1891
Hodgkins	14	584	35,034	C	Steam	Gravity	126,200	1896	
Cliff (Western Jr. High)	44	1,512	218,071	B	Steam	Fan	483,000	1917	{ 9 rooms added 1923 Alterations and Additions made in 1931
Cutler	20	929	53,729	C	Steam	Fan	145,800	1912	6 rooms added 1915
Bennett	12	475	21,964	C	Steam	Gravity	58,000	1902	
Hanscom	10	441	16,767	C	Steam	Fan	70,500	1897	4 rooms added 1907
Brown	10	472	26,733	C	Steam	Gravity	83,700	1901	4 rooms added 1907
Proctor	9	356	11,000	C	Steam	Gravity	117,000	1905	
Cummings	8	331	22,800	A	Steam	Unit System	89,500	1932	Original built 1884
Grimmons	8	324	84,354	B	Steam	Unit System	100,800	1930	
Burns	8	336	16,080	C	Steam	Gravity	49,000	1886	4 rooms added 1899
Lowe	8	386	21,650	C	Steam	Gravity	59,000	1903	
Haxter	6	290	11,000	C	Steam	Gravity	41,700	1901	
Perry	6	242	46,080	C	Steam	Gravity	56,100	1899	
Durell	4	163	13,883	C	Steam	Gravity	26,100	1894	
Total	527	18,553					\$4,869,800		

† State property; land not included in valuation.

* One room for Dental Clinic.

COST OF MAINTAINING SCHOOLS

For School Year 1944—1945

SCHOOLS.	FROM SCHOOL APPROPRIATION.		SPENT BY CITY GOVERNMENT.	
	Instruction and Supervision.	Supplies.	Care.	Total.
High.....	\$300,700.30	\$13,137.37	\$42,156.43	\$355,994.10
Northeastern Jr.....	121,812.12	4,293.40	16,987.09	143,092.61
Southern Jr.....	113,516.87	3,789.17	17,802.52	135,108.56
Western Jr.	111,176.62	4,030.14	17,845.60	133,052.36
Prescott.....	44,180.80	1,569.80	7,157.08	52,907.68
Hanscom.....	17,505.12	611.14	3,845.58	21,961.84
Bennett	18,644.77	840.52	4,663.76	24,149.05
Baxter	13,844.05	425.85	3,241.98	17,511.88
Knapp	21,484.77	737.47	4,746.87	26,969.11
Perry	12,489.18	392.50	3,241.98	16,123.66
Pope	25,762.19	751.86	4,663.77	31,177.82
Cummings.....	19,038.28	786.65	3,906.55	23,731.48
Edgerly	20,151.65	562.97	2,096.57	22,811.19
Glines.....	31,241.78	1,035.31	6,910.42	39,217.51
Grimmons.....	16,437.18	554.35	3,906.59	20,898.12
Forster.....	49,867.94	1,711.76	9,576.08	61,155.78
Bingham	33,485.20	902.79	5,837.03	40,225.02
Carr	33,963.00	993.24	5,088.88	40,045.12
Morse.....	26,193.08	876.30	4,793.81	31,863.19
Proctor.....	16,021.88	711.69	3,410.40	20,143.97
Durell.....	9,104.70	392.93	2,785.37	12,283.00
Burns	15,834.47	607.59	3,698.60	20,140.66
Brown	25,717.53	793.22	4,467.29	30,978.04
Cholerton.....	18,084.14	505.21	3,997.77	22,587.12
Hodgkins	29,877.70	1,100.46	5,328.37	36,306.53
Cutler.....	52,993.43	2,012.83	10,026.30	65,032.56
Lowe.....	16,571.53	614.87	3,698.57	20,884.97
Atypical.....	25,572.97	507.16	2,554.75	28,634.88
Sight Saving.....	2,345.23	39.67	385.02	2,769.92
Cont'uation & Jr. Voc.	7,708.22	426.34	2,305.95	10,440.51
Americanization	3,740.16	13.23	68.04	3,821.43
Evening High & Elem.	1,788.85	75.99	221.10	2,085.94
Evening Practical Arts	157.50	.....	44.34	201.84
Vocational	50,782.98	4,076.84	8,087.62	62,947.44
Independent House- hold Arts.....	1,603.52	165.14	937.19	2,705.85
Total.....	\$1,309,399.71	\$50,045.76	\$220,515.27	\$1,579,960.74

TABLE 3—PER CAPITA COST OF MAINTAINING SCHOOLS

For School Year 1944—1945

SCHOOLS.	Instruction and Supervision.	Supplies.	Care.	Total.
High	\$102.62	\$5.27	\$16.91	\$124.80
Northeastern Jr.	104.74	3.70	14.61	123.05
Southern Jr.	109.26	3.65	17.13	130.04
Western Jr.	104.78	3.79	16.80	125.37
Prescott	66.33	2.36	10.75	79.44
Hanscom	84.98	2.97	18.67	106.62
Bennett.....	96.11	4.33	24.04	124.48
Baxter	94.18	2.90	22.05	119.13
Knapp	81.07	2.78	17.91	101.76
Perry	75.69	2.38	19.65	97.72
Pope	85.31	2.49	15.44	103.24
Cummings	67.04	2.77	13.76	83.57
Edgerly.....	77.50	2.17	8.06	87.73
Glines	77.14	2.55	17.14	96.83
Grimmons	69.95	2.36	16.62	88.93
Forster	67.76	2.33	13.01	83.10
Bingham.....	92.25	2.49	16.08	110.82
Carr	79.17	2.32	11.86	93.35
Morse	79.13	2.65	14.48	96.26
Proctor	78.54	3.49	16.71	98.74
Durell	81.29	3.51	24.87	109.67
Burns	74.69	2.87	17.45	95.01
Brown	75.41	2.33	13.10	90.84
Cholerton	72.63	2.03	16.06	90.72
Hodgkins	73.41	2.70	13.09	89.20
Cutler	65.42	2.48	12.38	80.28
Lowe	75.67	2.81	16.89	95.37
Atypical	128.99	2.90	14.60	146.49
Sight Saving.....	213.22	3.61	35.00	251.83
Evening	5.71	.22	.78	6.71
Jr. Voca. Continuation,	175.19	9.68	52.41	237.28
Americanization.....	30.41	.11	.55	31.07
Elementary	78.38	2.58	14.73	92.69
All schools (without state-aided schools)	92.29	3.36	15.49	111.14
Vocational	309.65	24.80	49.31	383.76
Ind. Household Arts ...	72.89	7.51	42.59	122.99

Table 4—Annual Cost of Maintaining the Schools

FOR A SERIES OF YEARS

Amounts are given to the nearest dollar and include what has been paid for maintaining day and evening schools of all grades.

YEAR.	Average ember- ship.	FROM SCHOOL APPROPRIATION.		SUM SPENT UNDER DIRECTION OF CITY GOVERNMENT.				Total.
		Instruction and Super- vision.	School Supplies.	Light.	Heating.	Janitors.	School Tele- phones.	
1912	11,710	\$306,709	\$30,319	\$5,995	\$15,676	\$30,219	\$512	\$389,431
1913	11,856	320,744	25,877	5,842	16,055	32,939	542	402,092†
1914	12,320	338,587	26,843	6,448	18,952	33,711	624	425,165
1915	12,903	357,581	29,389	5,755	18,366	32,674	213	443,978
1916	13,191	363,948	26,098	6,233	20,197	34,667	.....	451,143
1917	12,770	376,138	29,221	5,429	25,487	35,718	.....	471,993
1918	12,656	410,589	33,587	6,966	35,839	42,063	18	529,062
1919	12,733	437,730	33,225	8,821	22,960	55,710	.....	*559,328
1920	12,836	613,294	40,079	10,092	37,083	56,381	.....	*757,679
1921	13,356	714,859	26,329	12,163	63,017	61,435	.....	*878,153
1922	14,109	747,905	42,682	10,531	26,521	61,987	.....	*889,877
1923	14,308	752,272	44,106	9,883	64,726	63,408	.....	934,395
1924	14,544	769,773	52,757	9,803	34,162	67,277	.....	933,772
1925	14,699	790,963	45,259	12,226	41,846	73,967	.....	964,261
1926	15,042	851,758	46,497	13,319	23,316	74,924	.....	1,009,814
1927	15,042	944,588	47,388	13,187	39,524	82,773	.....	1,127,460
1928	15,190	974,328	51,041	13,898	23,544	86,580	.....	1,149,391
1929	15,621	1,021,916	54,663	19,458	30,032	87,452	.....	1,213,521
1930	15,632	1,076,845	59,560	18,403	31,827	89,483	.....	1,276,118
1931	15,915	1,141,065	56,074	22,411	41,502	98,823	.....	1,359,876
1932	16,030	1,188,529	53,788	26,819	32,306	104,709	.....	1,406,151
1933	16,303	1,200,830	48,644	22,777	29,751	105,412	.....	1,407,413
1934	16,616	1,231,330	45,837	20,944	29,371	107,468	.....	1,434,950
1935	16,613	1,238,414	44,462	22,577	38,186	105,058	.....	1,448,697
1936	16,779	1,265,145	43,295	18,157	25,463	105,138	.....	1,457,378
1937	16,626	1,293,317	45,373	22,077	42,028	112,885	.....	1,515,680
1938	16,623	1,329,084	53,473	22,769	34,703	106,429	.....	1,550,748
1939	16,307	1,329,422	48,963	24,393	33,285	111,577	.....	1,547,640
1940	16,325	1,325,599	47,678	24,813	33,858	111,836	.....	1,543,784
1941	15,988	1,312,036	46,175	22,785	31,822	113,991	.....	1,526,809
1942	15,170	1,277,111	45,597	19,541	39,057	112,650	.....	1,493,956
1943	14,304	1,289,636	47,120	22,494	48,533	112,467	.....	1,520,250
1944	13,742	1,311,827	36,079	23,350	63,037	113,868	.....	1,548,161
1945	13,693	1,309,400	50,046	26,712	64,219	129,584	.....	1,579,961

† \$92.50 included for rental of church for schoolhouse purposes in Ward 7.

• Includes \$882.50, rent of Armory, in 1919.

• " 750.00, " " in 1920.

• " 350.00, " " in 1921.

• " 250.00, " " in 1922.

Table 5—Annual Cost Per Capita of Maintaining Schools

FOR A SERIES OF YEARS

(Based on the average membership)

YEAR.	Instruction and Supervision.	School Supply Expenses.	Janitors, Heat and Light.	Total.	Assessors' Valuation of City.	Ratio of Cost of School Main- tenance to Valuation.
1912	\$23 61	\$2 12	\$3 99	\$29 72	\$69,632,540	\$.00556
1913	24 54	1 91	4 18	30 63	71,848,811	.00559
1914	24 55	1 89	4 27	30 71	74,887,800	.00568
1915	24 90	2 03	3 92	30 85	77,153,500	.00575
1916	26 25	1 88	4 41	32 54	79,304,329	.00569
1917	26 72	2 05	4 61	33 38	78,921,472	.00595
1918	29 58	2 40	6 09	38 07	84,639,280	.00625
1919	31 82	2 45	6 43	40 70	87,353,424	.00643
1920	44 34	2 80	7 45	54 59	83,910,855	.00903
1921	50 07	1 60	9 62	61 29	86,718,290	.01012
1922	50 90	2 77	6 73	60 40	88,158,139	.01009
1923	50 39	2 85	9 24	62 48	92,519,400	.01010
1924	51 21	3 34	7 39	61 94	99,311,000	.00940
1925	51 25	2 79	8 35	62 39	104,769,800	.00920
1926	54 87	2 90	6 96	64 73	109,262,400	.00915
1927	60 89	2 94	8 49	72 32	116,406,900	.00969
1928	62 23	3 01	7 68	72 92	120,172,300	.00956
1929	63 95	3 19	8 33	75 47	118,840,900	.01021
1930	67 30	3 56	8 66	79 52	122,420,200	.01042
1931	69 92	3 19	9 79	82 90	123,051,300	.01105
1932	71 95	3 15	9 99	85 09	123,285,500	.00936
1933	72 15	2 83	9 41	84 39	119,798,800	.00704
1934	72 17	2 67	9 12	83 96	118,100,500	.00711
1935	72 40	2 51	9 60	84 51	117,182,500	.01236
1936	73 23	2 01	8 62	83 86	115,688,600	.01259
1937	75 47	2 61	10 17	88 25	113,453,300	.01335
1938	77 21	3 01	9 67	89 89	114,522,100	.01354
1939	78 33	2 77	9 93	91 03	114,124,400	.01357
1940	77 92	2 72	10 01	90 65	114,057,800	.01353
1941	75 80	2 55	9 75	88 10	113,273,800	.01348
1942	80 69	2 73	10 93	94 35	113,069,300	.01321
1943	86 61	3 04	12 31	101 96	113,470,800	.01340
1944	91 77	2 40	14 04	108 21	115,794,150	.01337
1945	92 29	3 36	15 49	111 14	116,941,600	.01351

Table 6—Amount Spent Annually for all School Purposes.

FOR A SERIES OF YEARS

YEAR.	For New Schoolhouses.	For Repairs and Permanent Improvements.	For Maintaining Schools.	Amount Spent for all School Purposes
1912	\$35,527	\$14,163	\$389,431	\$439,121
1913	34,866	19,341	402,092	456,299
1914	120,913	19,700	425,165	565,778
1915	9,745	28,212	443,978	481,935
1916	81,184	21,634	451,143	553,961
1917	94,420	27,283	471,993	593,696
1918	100,177	30,126	529,062	659,365
1919	104,067	20,492	559,328	683,887
1920	200	44,286	757,679	802,165
1921	3,285	39,573	878,153	921,011
1922	7,576	36,629	889,877	934,082
1923	588,302	63,052	934,395	1,585,749
1924	289,938	57,593	933,772	1,281,303
1925	18,663	45,848	964,261	1,028,773
1926	741	59,903	1,009,814	1,070,458
1927	22,000	77,201	1,127,460	1,226,661
1928	105,469	57,226	1,149,391	1,312,086
1929	673,185	74,968	1,213,521	1,961,674
1930	351,638	72,927	1,276,118	1,700,684
1931	690,414	59,634	1,359,876	2,109,924
1932	440,776	52,637	1,406,152	1,899,565
1933	15,142	39,350	1,407,413	1,461,905
1934	29	50,357	1,434,950	1,485,336
1935	72,413	40,507	1,448,697	1,561,622
1936	339,510	39,194	1,457,378	1,836,082
1937	152,587	52,847	1,515,680	1,721,114
1938	22,314	48,936	1,550,748	1,621,998
1939	29,328	62,088	1,547,639	1,639,055
1940	9,139	55,421	1,543,784	1,608,344
1941	.....	59,692	1,526,809	1,586,501
1942	.....	58,519	1,493,956	1,552,475
1943	.....	56,935	1,520,250	1,577,185
1944	.....	104,147	1,548,161	1,652,308
1945	.....	149,801	1,579,961	1,729,762

For years prior to 1912 see School Report of 1917.

TABLE 7 — POPULATION AND SCHOOL CENSUS

For School Year 1944—1945

1842 . .	1,013	1908 . .	75,500	1925 . .	99,032
1850 . .	3,540	1909 . .	75,500	1926 . .	101,000
1860 . .	8,025	1910 . .	77,236	1927 . .	102,000
1865 . .	9,366	1911 . .	78,000	1928 . .	104,000
1870 . .	14,693	1912 . .	80,000	1929 . .	105,000
1875 . .	21,594	1913 . .	81,000	1930 . .	103,604
1880 . .	24,985	1914 . .	85,000	1931 . .	104,000
1885 . .	29,992	1915 . .	86,854	1932 . .	104,000
1890 . .	40,117	1916 . .	88,000	1933 . .	104,000
1895 . .	52,200	1917 . .	93,000	1934 . .	104,000
1900 . .	61,643	1918 . .	91,000	1935 . .	100,773
1901 . .	63,000	1919 . .	91,500	1936 . .	101,000
1902 . .	65,273	1920 . .	93,033	1937 . .	100,000
1903 . .	67,500	1921 . .	94,500	1938 . .	100,000
1905 . .	69,272	1922 . .	98,000	1939 . .	100,000
1906 . .	70,875	1923 . .	99,000	1940 . .	102,304
1907 . .	72,000	1924 . .	100,440	1941 . .	102,000
				1942 . .	102,000
				1943 . .	102,000
				1944 . .	102,000
				1945 . .	102,000

School Census

Number of children between 5 and 15 years of age inclusive, October 1, 1945	16,372
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School Registration

Number of children between 5 and 15 years of age inclusive, October 1, 1945:		
In public schools	11,786	
In private schools	4,575	
Total	16,361	
Number of compulsory school age, 7 to 13 inclusive:—		
In public schools, males	3,637	
females	3,539	
		7,176
In private schools, males	1,631	
females	1,617	
		3,248
Total		10,424

Table 8—Attendance of the Public Schools

For School Year 1944—1945

SCHOOLS.	Annual Enrollment.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Per cent. of Attendance.	No. Attending in October.	No. Attending in June.
High	2,697	2,493	2,176	87.2	2,676	2,348
Northeastern Jr. High	1,226	1,163	1,054	90.6	1,187	1,139
Southern Jr. High	1,129	1,039	947	91.1	1,060	1,027
Western Jr. High	1,107	1,062	986	92.9	1,089	1,056
Vocational	206	164	140	85.3	197	105
Prescott	726	666	586	87.9	672	680
Hanscom	235	206	187	90.7	210	203
Bennett	211	194	177	90.9	192	201
Baxter	154	147	133	90.4	144	153
Knapp	281	265	243	91.6	261	262
Perry	175	165	151	91.5	166	172
Pope	324	302	276	91.3	303	306
Cummings	303	284	258	90.8	290	289
Edgerly	287	260	227	87.3	274	245
Glines	439	405	379	93.5	421	400
Grimmons	250	235	215	91.4	239	236
Forster	800	736	661	89.8	760	726
Bingham	391	363	334	92.0	367	358
Carr	464	429	393	91.6	441	422
Morse	357	331	302	91.2	340	325
Proctor	220	204	191	93.6	206	204
Durell	120	112	102	91.0	111	114
Burns	224	212	196	92.4	210	216
Brown	353	341	310	90.9	338	338
Cholerton	273	249	226	90.7	257	248
Hodgkins	429	407	372	91.4	402	405
Cutler	858	810	731	90.2	827	808
Lowe	234	219	197	89.9	221	225
Atypical	207	175	157	89.7	185	162
Sight Saving	10	11	9	81.8	10	10
Continuation, Jr. Voca.	70	44	32	72.7	49	29
Total	14,760	13,693	12,348	90.1	14,095	13,412
Total for 1943-1944	14,975	13,742	12,296	89.5	14,065	13,529

Table 9—Statistics of High School for School Year Ending June, 1945

Number of teachers, including Head Master	110
Number of days school kept	177
Number enrolled	2,697
Average number belonging	2,493
Average daily attendance	2,176
Tardinesses	8,064
Dismissals	1,630
In class 1947, September	1,160
June	999
Per cent. of loss	13.0%
In class 1946, September	861
June	739
Per cent. of loss	14.2
In class 1945, September	662
June	610
Per cent. of loss	7.9%
Special Students, September	1
June	0
Per cent. of loss	100%
*Number of graduates male	261
Number of graduates, female	395
Total	656
Average age, male graduates	18
Average age, female graduates	17.6
Number of graduates entering Colleges and Engineering Schools	22
Number of graduates entering State Teachers College	6
Number of graduates entering other institutions	63
Cost of instruction	\$294,610.30
Cost of supplies	11,816.82
Total	\$306,427.12
Per capita cost of instruction	118.17
Per capita cost of supplies	4.74
Total cost per capita	\$122.91

* This figure includes 53 boys in the Armed Forces, and 14 boys in the Accelerated Course.

TABLE 10—PUPILS BY GRADES, JUNE, 1945

SCHOOL.	GRADE.	TEACHERS.			PUPILS.			Never in First Grade Before
		Men.	Women.		Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
			Regular.	Assistants.				
High	Twelfth				211	399	610	1022
	Eleventh				314	425	739	
	Tenth				467	532	999	
	Total	40	70		992	1,356	2,348	
Junior High	Ninth				498	535	1,034	
	Eighth				550	541	1,091	
	Seventh				523	574	1,097	
	Total	58	81		1,571	1,651	3,222	
Elementary	Sixth	7	30		500	491	991	
	Fifth		35		577	573	1,150	
	Fourth		35		517	531	1,048	
	Third		32		526	549	1,075	
	Second		33		593	496	1,089	
	First		38		705	563	1,268	
	Total	7	203		3,418	3,203	6,621	
Kindergarten	.....		16	12	448	467	915	
	Special	6	10					
	Sight Saving		1		6	4	10	
	Cadets		9					
	Atypical	1	10		105	57	162	
	Vocational	17			105		105	
	Independent							
	Household Arts		1					
	Americanization		1					
	Continuation &							
	Jr. Vocational	2	2		15	14	29	
	Grand Total	131	404	12	6,660	6,752	13,412	

Table 11—Pupils In High, Junior High, Elementary, Vocational and
Continuation Schools 1944—1945

	High School	Junior High Schools	Elementary Schools	Kinder- gartens	Vocational School	Atypical Schools	Sight Saying Class	Jr. Voc. and Continuation Schools	Total
Annual enrollment	2697	3462	7010	1098	206	207	10	70	14,760
Average membership	2493	3264	6606	936	164	175	11	44	13,693
Average attendance	2176	2988	6054	792	140	157	9	32	12,348
Per cent. of attendance	87.2	91.5	91.6	84.6	85.3	89.7	81.8	72.7	90.1
No. cases of tardiness	8122	3770	4981	98	586	402	31	80	18,070
Number cases of dismissal	1678	1820	1573	11	137	47	1	38	5,305
Membership, October, 1944	2676	3336	6665	977	197	185	10	49	14,095
Membership, June, 1945	2348	3222	6621	915	105	162	10	29	13,412
No. cases corp. punishment			5						5

Table 12—Number of Pupils Admitted to Grade 1 In September

SCHOOL	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Prescott	72	60	43	72	53
Hanscom	39	43	43	31	21
Bennett	25	35	20	31	15
Baxter	34	23	34	15	26
Knapp	21	23	17	20	19
Perry	39	36	29	30	38
Pope	51	39	43	45	42
Cummings	40	42	36	49	39
Edgerly	61	44	47	59	76
Glines	52	66	63	49	52
Grimmons	36	37	27	39	35
Forster	91	108	93	100	88
Bingham	54	60	43	37	64
Carr	52	51	41	56	45
Morse	51	35	49	69	32
Proctor	36	38	26	35	35
Durell	23	27	33	23	29
Burns	59	47	45	52	48
Brown	47	60	38	43	48
Hodgkins	54	64	69	57	47
Cutler	123	120	133	120	124
Lowe	56	43	43	55	46
Total	1,116	1,101	1,015	1,087	1,022

Table 13—Eighth Grade Promotions, Junior High Schools, June, 1945

Promotion from the eighth grade to the ninth grade in the Junior High School corresponds to the promotion from the last grade of an elementary school to the High School.

SCHOOL	Number in Class in June	No. Promoted to Grade 9	No. Entering Grade 9	No. Entering Schools Outside City	No. Going to Work	No. Not Located	No. Entering Voca- tional School	No. Entering Other Junior High Schools In City
Northeastern Junior High	363	326	315	8	1	0	2	0
Southern Junior High	369	345	326	8	5	2	1	3
Western Junior High	366	300	266	13	2	8	6	5
Total	1098	971	907	29	8	10	9	8

Table 13a—Ninth Grade Promotions, Junior High Schools, June, 1945

Promotion from the ninth grade to the tenth is the promotion from the Junior High School to the Senior High School. The tenth grade corresponds to the second year of a four-year High School.

SCHOOL	Number in Class in June	No. Promoted to High School	No. Entering Somerville High School	No. Entering Other Schools, Pub- lic or Private	No. Going to Work	No. Not Located	No. Entering Vocational School	No. Remaining at Home
Northeastern Junior High	396	386	341	10	13	10	4	8
Southern Junior High	301	288	263	10	3	3	9	0
Western Junior High	356	343	320	11	4	4	4	0
Total	1053	1017	924	31	20	17	17	8

Table 14—Comparative Statistics of the Attendance Department
for the School Year 1944-1945

	1944	1945	Change
Number of visits to the schools	514	384	—130
Number of visits to the homes	4664	5197	+533
Number of cases investigated	4303	4783	+480
Number of cases found to be truancy or absenteeism	533	528	—5
Number of different pupils who were truants or habitual absentees	362	391	+19
Number who were truants for the first time	230	247	+17
Number who were truants for the second time	72	81	+9
Number who were truants for three or more times	66	63	—3
Number of girls who were truants or absentees	292	240	—52
Number of visits to mercantile or manu- facturing establishments	10	10	0
Number of minors found to be working without employment certificates	10	7	—3
Number of employment certificates is- sued to boys	59	18	—41
Number of employment certificates re- issued to boys	19	8	—11
Number of employment certificates is- sued to girls	21	5	—16
Number of employment certificates re- issued to girls	12	1	—11
Number of educational literate certifi- cates issued to minors over 16 years of age (first issue)	3929	3342	—587
Number of newspaper licenses issued to boys 12 to 16 years of age	103	67	—36
Number of transfer cards investigated..	1314	1863	+549
Number of cards forwarded	752	333	—419
Number of truants in the County train- ing School at the close of the year	4	6	+2
Amount of board paid for truants	\$449.16	\$462.27	+\$13.11

Disposition of truancy and habitual absentee cases

Warned and returned to school	325
Transferred to other schools	6
Left school (over 16)	26
Removed from City	15
Sent to House of Good Shepherd	5
Sent to Lancaster	4
Sent to Middlesex County Training School	10

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Table 14A—Truancies and Habitual Absenteeism by Ages and Grades

GRADE.	BY AGES.											Total.
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16 or over	
I.....	3	3	2									8
II.....		1	2									3
III.....				4								4
IV.....				1	8	5	7					21
V.....					3	8	7	3	1			22
VI.....						3	18	8	10	2		41
VII.....						2	8	24	42	25		101
VIII.....								3	19	49	5	76
IX.....								2	8	36	5	51
X.....										12		12
XI.....												
XII.....												
Voc. I.....									4	12		16
Voc. II.....									1	6		7
Ungraded.....				1			9	6	9	4		29
Total.....	3	4	4	5	12	18	49	46	94	146	10	391

Table 15—Evening High School, Season 1944-1945

	Male	Female	Total
Enrolled	77	232	309
Average Membership	44	132	176
Average Attendance	26	77	103
Number of teachers	10		
Number of sessions	36		
Cost of instruction	\$1,759.50		
Cost of Janitor, Fuel, Light and Supplies	290.73		
Total cost	\$2,050.23		
Cost per pupil per evening	0.292		

Average attendance: October, 180; November, 120; December, 99
January, 79; February 62; March, 64

Table 15a—Evening Vocational Classes, Season 1944-1945

	Women
Enrolled	50
Average Membership	32
Average Attendance	24
Number of teachers	1
Number of sessions	36
Student hours	1728
Cost of instruction	\$157.50
Cost of Janitor, Fuel and Light	44.34
Total expenditure	\$201.84
Reimbursement from State	117.76
Net cost	\$84.08
Net cost per pupil per evening	\$0.097

Table 15b—Americanization Classes 1944-1945

	Male	Female	Total
Enrolled	39	156	195
Average Membership	25	98	123
Average Attendance	15	73	88
Number of classes	11		
Number of teachers	5		
Number of sessions	40		
Membership hours	8796		
Cost of instruction	\$3,718.16		
Cost of supplies	8.46		
Total cost	\$3,726.62		
Reimbursement from the State	\$1,859.08		
Net cost	\$1,867.54		
Net cost per membership hour	\$0.212		

Table 16—Promotions from Elementary to Junior High Schools

	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Prescott	208	189	174	173	165	247
Bennett	49	37	32	30	32	27
Knapp	92	100	110	97	78	77
Pope	56	66	51	59	53	47
Cummings	37	36	35	37	27	35
Glines	65	63	63	58	64	55
Grimmons	28	29	40	31	37	29
Forster	124	128	102	86	86	96
Bingham	66	54	62	42	52	47
Carr	80	70	74	84	67	71
Morse	41	47	47	47	35	24
Proctor	32	38	31	38	24	39
Brown	51	46	54	61	44	42
Cholerton	104	105	101	86	95	69
Hodgkins	61	44	75	54	55	54
Cutler	111	108	148	116	100	95
Total	1205	1160	1199	1099	1014	954
Average Membership of Elementary	8808	8556	8224	7950	7511	6606
Per cent. of Average Membership Promoted	13.68	13.55	14.58	13.82	13.50	14.44

Table 17—Attendance Statistics

FOR A SERIES OF YEARS

JUNE	ENROLLMENT	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per cent. of Attendance	Number of Tardinesses	Ratio of Tardiness to Average Attendance
1912	13,272	11,710	11,083	94.6	6,307	0.569
1913	13,491	11,903	11,216	94.2	7,354	0.655
1914	13,932	12,320	11,610	94.2	7,380	0.635
1915	14,505	12,903	12,189	94.5	8,000	0.656
1916	14,647	13,191	12,323	93.4	9,373	0.761
1917	13,967	12,770	11,933	93.7	7,325	0.613
1918	14,256	12,656	11,798	93.2	8,970	0.760
1919	14,039	12,733	11,609	91.2	9,744	0.839
1920	14,091	12,836	11,807	91.9	11,628	0.993
1921	14,500	13,396	12,533	93.6	11,337	0.904
1922	15,225	14,004	13,160	94.0	11,620	0.883
1923	15,932	14,308	13,276	92.8	13,164	0.991
1924	16,092	14,554	13,647	93.8	12,528	0.918
1925	16,262	14,699	13,691	93.1	11,814	0.863
1926	16,687	15,042	14,074	93.6	12,256	0.871
1927	16,669	15,042	14,094	93.7	12,526	0.888
1928	16,807	15,190	14,232	93.1	15,160	1.065
1929	17,083	15,521	14,435	93.0	16,626	1.152
1930	16,851	15,632	14,666	92.8	13,904	0.948
1931	17,218	15,915	14,940	93.9	13,429	0.891
1932	17,389	16,030	15,104	94.2	15,634	1.035
1933	17,758	16,303	15,322	93.9	14,488	0.945
1934	17,903	16,616	15,591	93.8	14,962	0.960
1935	17,811	16,613	15,506	93.3	15,532	1.000
1936	17,926	16,707	15,470	92.6	13,656	0.982
1937	17,871	16,626	15,564	93.6	13,647	0.876
1938	17,762	16,623	15,551	93.6	14,508	0.932
1939	17,559	16,307	15,093	92.6	14,123	0.936
1940	17,486	16,325	15,276	93.6	15,572	1.019
1941	17,266	15,988	14,792	92.5	13,741	0.928
1942	16,416	15,170	13,939	91.9	13,797	0.989
1943	15,703	14,304	12,758	89.2	14,804	1.160
1944	14,975	13,742	12,296	89.5	18,497	1.504
1945	14,760	13,693	12,348	90.1	18,070	1.382

(For years prior to 1912 see School Report of 1917)

Table 18—Membership, Etc., of High School

FOR A SERIES OF YEARS

YEAR.	Average Membership all Schools.	Largest Number in High School.	Per cent. of Average Membership of all Schools.	Number of Graduates of High School.	Per cent. of Average Membership of all Schools.
1912	11,710	2,023	17.28	296	2.53
1913	11,903	2,081	17.48	296	2.48
1914	12,320	2,111	18.18	273	2.35
1915	12,903	2,258	17.50	311	2.41
1916	13,191	2,288	17.35	348	2.64
1917	12,770	1,973	15.45	340	2.66
1918	12,656	1,520	12.01	332	2.62
1919	12,733	1,854	14.56	310	2.43
1920	12,836	1,714	13.35	241	1.87
1921	13,396	1,762	13.15	316	2.36
1922	14,004	2,037	14.55	613	4.38
1923	14,308	2,061	14.40	419	2.93
1924	14,554	2,104	14.45	497	3.41
1925	14,699	2,229	15.16	524	3.56
1926	15,042	2,230	14.82	524	3.48
1927	15,042	2,318	15.41	521	3.46
1928	15,190	2,356	15.51	513	3.38
1929	15,521	2,430	15.66	606	3.90
1930	15,632	2,500	15.99	564	3.61
1931	15,915	2,723	17.11	621	3.90
1932	16,030	3,033	18.92	770	4.80
1933	16,303	3,226	19.79	700	4.29
1934	16,616	3,442	20.71	847	5.10
1935	16,613	3,468	20.87	826	5.00
1936	16,707	3,626	21.70	856	5.12
1937	16,626	3,594	21.62	871	5.24
1938	16,623	3,626	21.81	920	5.53
1939	16,307	3,673	22.52	933	5.72
1940	16,325	3,775	23.12	996	6.10
1941	15,988	3,680	23.02	985	6.16
1942	15,170	3,348	22.07	906	5.97
1943	14,304	2,974	20.79	800	5.59
1944	13,742	2,719	19.78	677	4.93
1945	13,693	2,714	19.82	677	4.94

(For years prior to 1912 see School Report of 1917).

Table 19—Promotions for School Year Ending, June, 1945

Junior High Schools

GRADE.	On June Promotion List	Unconditionally Promoted to Next Grade	Promoted on Trial	Retarded	Promoted more than One Grade	Special Promo- tions during Year	Promotees Dropped Back after Two Months' Trial
I	1,093	853	126	114	.....	.....	0
II	1,097	933	107	57	.....	2	1
III	1,057	977	46	34	.....	.....	0
Total.....	3,247	2,763	279	205	.....	2	1

Percentage of Promotions for School Year Ending June, 1945

Junior High Schools

GRADE.	On June Promotion List	Unconditionally Promoted to Next Grade	Promoted on Trial	Retarded	Promoted more than One Grade	Special Promo- tions during Year	Promotees Dropped Back after Two Months' Trial
I	100	78.0	11.6	10.4	.....	.....	.....
II	100	85.0	9.8	5.2	.....	0.1	0.09
III	100	92.4	4.4	3.2	.....	.....	0
Average	100	85.1	8.6	6.3	.....	00.6	0.03

Table 19a—Promotions for School Year Ending June, 1945

Elementary Grades

GRADE.	On June Promotion List.	Unconditionally Promoted to next Grade.	Promoted on Trial.	Retarded.	Promoted more than One Grade.	Special Promo- tions during Year.	Promotees Dropped Back after Two Months' Trial
I	1,269	999	75	195	...	...	3
II	1,094	911	79	103	1	1	10
III	1,075	906	91	78	...	...	8
IV	1,048	865	114	69	...	...	10
V	1,153	909	153	91	...	1	13
VI	991	867	87	37	...	...	10
Total.....	6,630	5,457	599	573	1	2	54

Percentage of Promotions for School Year Ending June, 1945

Elementary Grades

GRADE.	On June Promotion List.	Unconditionally Promoted to next Grade.	Promoted on Trial.	Retarded.	Promoted more than One Grade.	Special Promo- tions during Year.	Promotees Dropped Back after Two Months' Trial
I	100	78.7	6.0	15.3	...	...	0.2
II	100	83.4	7.2	9.4	0.01	0.01	0.9
III	100	84.2	8.5	7.3	...	...	0.7
IV	100	82.5	10.9	6.6	...	...	0.9
V	100	78.9	13.2	7.9	...	0.01	1.1
VI	100	87.5	8.8	3.7	...	...	1
Average...	100	82.3	9.0	8.7	0	0	0.8

Distribution of Pupils by Ages and Grades October 1, 1945

GRADE	A G E																		TOTAL	Above Normal Age	Per cent. Above Normal Age
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21 or over			
Kdgn.	433	644	2																1,079		
1		407	657	121	20	2													1,185	22	1.85
2			347	569	169	47	6	2											1,085	55	5.06
3				292	525	167	66	14											984	80	8.13
4				1	258	520	187	73	20	1	1								966	95	9.83
5					1	254	493	203	63	30	2	1							951	96	10.00
6							1	257	498	194	105	26	4						950	135	14.21
7								2	211	494	200	114	31						907	145	15.98
8									18	240	387	205	92	11	3				850	106	12.47
9									3	309	533	193	65	3					1,038	68	6.55
10										4	304	640	205	40	5				1,153	45	3.90
11											2	231	511	134	20	1	1		878	22	2.50
12												2	210	397	49	1			658	1	0.15
P. G.																			0	0	0
Total	433	1051	1006	983	953	942	939	930	931	900	1,044	1,066	926	531	49				12,684		
Under Normal Grade					20	49	72	89	83	136	143	128	76	46	25	2	1			870	
Per cent. Under Normal Grade					2.09	5.20	7.66	9.56	8.91	15.11	13.60	12.00	8.20	8.66	51.02						

TABLE 20—RESIGNATIONS OF TEACHERS IN 1945

School	Teacher	Took Effect	In Service
Northeastern Junior	Mary Guthrie Kenney	July 1	4 yrs., 9 mo.
Northeastern Junior	Helen Bennett Marotta	Sept. 1	2 yrs.
Northeastern Junior	Marie Farrell Morgan	Dec. 31	13 yrs.
Northeastern Junior	Alice Meisner Thurman	July 1	13 yrs.
Southern Junior	M. Caroline Tucker Bradbury	Oct. 31	14 yrs.
Southern Junior	Mary M. Neylon	July 1	11 yrs.
Western Junior	*Lillias T. Lawton	July 1	30 yrs.
Western Junior	Arline Peretsman	Jan. 2	4 mo.
Prescott	Thelma Butler	March 26	8 yrs., 4 mo.
Prescott	Thelma C. Hutchins McDonnell	July 1	11 yrs.
Hanscom	Muriel Adams	Nov. 26	7 yrs., 9 mo.
Baxter.....	Mary Brady McKeever	Nov. 21	17 yrs., 3 mo.
Knapp	Dorothea Finn—Cadet	July 1	1 yr.
Forster	*Alice C. Blodgett	July 1	28 yrs.
Cutler	Doris Spellman Purcell	Nov. 30	11 yrs., 3 mo.
Cutler	Evelyn G. Stern	Dec. 31	17 yrs., 4 mo.
Lowe	*Clara G. Hegan	July 1	44 yrs.
Lowe	*Octavia A. Stewart	Feb. 9	27 yrs., 4 mo.
Special—Field Music	*Wesley A. Maynard	July 1	20 yrs.

* Retired

TABLE 21.—TEACHERS ELECTED IN 1945

School	Teacher	Coming From	Salary	Services Began
High	Thomas Lynch	Not Teaching	\$1550	September 1
Northeastern Jr.	William Duffey	Somerville	1740	*November 1
Western Junior	Mary Kacyanis	"	1550	February 1
Western Junior	Paul Kelley	"	1550	"
Western Junior	John C. Kelley	"	1960	*September 1
Western Junior	Charles Murphy	"	1600	October 1
Western Junior	Eileen Ryan	"	1550	September 1
Western Junior	Mary D. Dalakis	"	1550	"
Prescott	Frances A. Welch	"	1550	"
Prescott	Catherine Hagan	"	1550	"
Perry	Evelyn Bucknam	"	1550	"
Cummings	Helen L. Crine	"	1550	"
Forster	Helen Sharry	"	1550	April 1
Forster	Margaret M. Buckley	Peterboro, N. H.	1550	September 1
Morse	Eileen Knight	Somerville	1550	"
Morse	Margaret Walsh	"	1550	"
Brown	Frances H. Aylward	Boston	1550	January 1
Cholerton	Ruth Sproul	Somerville	1550	October 1
Hodgkins	Lucille K. Moseley	"	1550	February 1
Hodgkins	Helen B. Busher	"	1550	January 1
Cutler	†Mary D. Manning	Not Teaching	1550	September 1
First Year Cadet	Marion C. Drew	Somerville	1500	December 1
First Year Cadet	Helen F. DeStefano	Not Teaching	1000	September 1
First Year Cadet	Mary Macero	Somerville	1000	"
First Year Cadet	Jeanette Marsili	Not Teaching	1000	"
First Year Cadet	Clare A. Stanton	"	1000	Did not accept
First Year Cadet	Virginia V. Hender	Boston	1000	September 1
Administration Clerk	Bart E. Grady, Jr.	Not Teaching	1150	September 10
Special—Instructor Field Music..			1550	December 1

†Reinstated

*Returned from War Service

TABLE 22—LEAVE OF ABSENCE OF TEACHERS

Marie F. Morgan, from Sept. 1945 to Dec. 31, 1945.
 Muriel P. King, for duration of War Service, from Jan. 1, 1945
 Gladys Wellington, Sabbatical leave from Jan. 1, 1945 to close of
 school June 1945.
 A. Caroline Bradbury, for six months from May 5, 1945.
 Leo Lapidus, for months of September and October
 Virginia A. Holman, from March 23 to June 30 and from Oct. 9 for
 the rest of the school year.
 Mary Sweeney, for the school year ending June 1946.
 Mary M. Sullivan, from May 18 to Sept. 24.
 Beaumont Herman, for the school year ending June 1946.
 Dorothy M. Reynolds, for the months of Sept. and Oct.
 Phyllis M. Joy, for the month of Sept.
 Mary M. Hare, from Sept. to Dec. 31.
 Agnes F. Viano, for school year ending June 1946.
 Jennie Albano, for school year ending June 1946.
 Gertrude C. Dooley, from Sept. 1 to Mar. 1, 1946.
 Albert C. Williamson, Jr., from Nov. 13 for the rest of school year
 ending June 1946.
 Anna N. Johnson, for school year ending June 1946.
 Jeanne H. Dinand, for the month of Dec.
 Margaret M. Benson, for the months of Dec. and Jan. 1946.
 J. Edward Sharkey, from Nov. 9 for the rest of the school year to
 June 30, 1946.
 Florence Hopkins, Sabbatical leave from Dec. 1, for the rest of
 school year to June 30, 1946.

Table 23—TRANSFERS OF TEACHERS

Teacher	From	To
James Curtin	Western Junior	High
Ellen Bellamy	Western Junior	High
Grace McElhiney	Hodgkins	Northeastern Junior
Eileen Ryan	Southern Junior	Western Junior
Geraldine Fitzgerald	Western Junior	High
Helen Crine	Hanscom	Cummings
Elizabeth D. Callanan	Bennett	Bingham
Elizabeth Sliney	Pope	Lowe
Nora Keniry	Baxter	Cutler
Helen M. Mason	Lowe	Forster
Ruth Sproul	Cholerton	Hodgkins
Lucille Moseley	Hodgkins	Cholerton
Marion Pugh	Cutler	Hodgkins
Nathaniel A. Colbert	Southern Junior	High
Frances M. Smith	High	Northeastern Junior
Rita DeLeo	High	Northeastern Junior
Guy Piro	Western Junior	Vocational
Marion C. Drew	Morse	Grimmons

Table 24—Number of Teachers

FOR A SERIES OF YEARS.

YEAR.	High School.	Junior High Schools.	*Elementary Schools.	Special Teachers.	Assistants not in Charge of Room.	Contin.	Amer.	Men	Women	Total.
1912	66†	.....	252	22	9	.....	.....	40	309	349
1913	68†	.....	257	28	12	.....	.....	39	326	365
1914	75†	.....	266	30	20	.....	.....	44	347	391
1915	76†	.....	272	31	15	.....	.....	45	349	394
1916	77†	.....	290	30	15	.....	.....	46	366	412
1917	70†	65	238	33	17	.....	.....	49	374	423
1918	70†	108	207	28	5	.....	.....	49	369	418
1919	70°	106	207	26	9	.....	.....	48	370	418
1920	69°	113	212	23	8	.....	.....	54	371	425
1921	75°	115	216	25	14	5	2	60	392	452
1922	72†	114	216	22	16	5	2	57	390	447
1923	75°	120	222	24	18	4	2	55	410	465
1924	76°	117	221	24	16	4	2	59	401	460
1925	76°	118	229	23	16	4	2	59	409	468
1926	75°	118	228	27	11	3	2	58	406	464
1927	77°	123	233	30	11	3	1	62	416	478
1928	80°	123	239	33	10	3	1	64	425	489
1929	88°	125	239	33	27	3	1	70	446	516
1930	95°	131	241	39	33	3	1	78	465	543
1931	104**	138	235	50	46	4	1	93	485	578
1932	105**	154	251	46	29	4	1	105	485	590
1933	106**	154	256	44	33	3	1	120	477	597
1934	116**	160	257	43	39	3	1	125	494	619
1935	116**	164	257	42	40	3	1	128	495	623
1936	120**	165	265	40	43	3	1	133	504	637
1937	126**	167	271	38	31	3	1	142	495	637
1938	133**	178	263	39	26	3	1	157	486	643
1939	127**	173	260	43	19	5	1	163	465	628
1940	129†	167	259	44	14	5	1	164	455	619
1941	129†	160	253	53	12	5	1	163	450	613
1942	127†	155	247	52	12	4	1	155	443	598
1943	118†	145	234	49	12	4	1	127	436	563
1944	113†	142	235	48	12	4	1	121	434	555
1945	110†	139	238	46	9	4	1	131	416	547

* Including Kindergartners.

† Including a secretary.

** Including a secretary and two matrons.

° Including a secretary and a matron.

† Including two matrons.

Table 25—BOOKS AUTHORIZED FOR USE IN 1945

*As Text Books:**Grade***For High School**

- 12 Handbook of Writing and Speaking; Wooley, Scott, Tressler; D. C. Heath Co.; supplementary English
- 11 Nuevos Cuentos Contados; Pitarro; D. C. Heath Co.; basic text in Spanish
- 11 Short Stories in Parallel; Bauer; D. C. Heath Co.; supplementary English
- 10 Silas Marner; Edited by Gulich; Macmillan Co.
- 12 A Tale of Two Cities; Dickens—adapted by Holmes; Globe Book Co.
- 10 World History; Hayes, Moon, Wayland; Macmillan Co.

*As Text Books:**Grade***For Junior High Schools**

- 8 Refresher Arithmetic; Stein; Allyn and Bacon; basic Mathematics
- 7-8-9 Lassie Come Home; Knight; John C. Winton Co.; supplementary reading
- 7-8-9 Living Your Life; Crawford, Copley and Trillingham; D. C. Heath Co.; supplementary Guidance text
- 7-8-9 Modern Verse (Revised); Forbes and Smith; Henry Holt & Co.; supplementary English textbook
- The Poetry Book; Huber, Bruner, Curry; Rand McNally Co.; supplementary English textbook
- 7 Book 7
- 8 Book 8
- 9 Book 9
- 7 Wings for Reading; Hovious and Shearer; D. C. Heath Co.; supplementary reading
- 8-9 Practice of Printing; Ralph W. Polk; Manual Arts Press

*As Text Books:**Grade***For Elementary Schools**

- 4 Aviation Readers; Airplanes At Work; Gertrude Whipple; Macmillan Co.; supplementary textbook in reading
- Alice and Jerry Series; Coughlan and O'Donnell; Row, Peterson Co.; supplementary reading
- 1 The Wishing Well—Parallel Primer
- 2 Neighbors on the Hill
- 3 The Five-and-a-Half Club
- 5 Engine Whistles
- 6 Runaway Home
- 5 Easy Growth in Reading Series—Looking Forward; Hildreth, Felton, Meighen, and Pratt; John C. Winston; supplementary textbook in reading
- 2 Language for Meaning—Let's Talk; McKee-Harrison; Houghton Mifflin Co.; supplementary textbook in reading
- Learning to Read; Nila Banton Smith; Silver Burdett Co.; supplementary reading
- 1 Under the Tree—Pre-Primer
- 1 Bill and Susan—Pre-Primer

- 1 Through the Gate—Primer
- 1 Down the Road—Book I
- 2 In New Places
- 3 From Sea to Sea
- New Intermediate Basic Skills Readers; Spencer et al.; Lyons and Carnahan, supplementary reading
- 4 Finding New Trails
- 5 Exploring New Trails
- 6 Traveling New Trails
- 3-4 Walt Disney Story Books—Bambi; Purnell; D. C. Heath & Co.; supplementary reading

Books Deleted from the Authorized Lists

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

- 9 First Year Algebra, Stone
- 8 Master Key Arithmetic, Grade Eight—Clapp
- 7 Our Home State and Continent, N. E. Edition, Book Two; Brigham et al.
- 7 Our World Today, Stull and Hatch
 - (1) Asia
 - (2) Europe and Europe Overseas
- 7-8 History of the American People, Beard and Bagley
- 8 Building Our Nation; Barker et al.
- 8 America, Yesterday and Today; Nichols et al.
- 9 America in a World at War, Browne et al.
- 9 Civics in American Life (revision), Edmandson and Dondineau
- 9 My Worth to the World, Capen and Melchoir
- 7-8 Working for Democracy, Bryson and Smith
- 7-8-9 Easy English Exercises, Riddlebarger-Cotner
- 9 High School English, Book I, Canby et al.
- 7-8-9 Junior Grammar, Harding
 - 9 Sentence and Theme, Ward
 - Health and Growth Series
 - 7 Adventures in Health
 - 8 Health Knowledge
 - New Health and Growth Series
 - 7 Growing Up Healthily
 - 7 Health for Young Americans
 - 9 Science for Today, Caldwell
 - 7-8 Elements of Business Training, Revised; Brewer et al.
 - 7-8 Preparing for Business; Hamilton et al.
 - 8 Junior Music (Music Education Series)
 - 7-8-9 Junior Song and Chorus Book, Giddings et al.
 - 9 Gallic War (New Caesar), Greenough et al.
 - 7-8-9 First Year Latin, Smith-Thompson
 - 9 Latin for Americans, Book I; Ullman and Henry
 - 9 Roma, Robinson and Hunter
 - 7-8-9 First Book in Italian, Covello et al.
 - 7-8 Mes Premiers Pas en Français, Chapuzet and Daniels
 - 8 At School in the Promised Land, Antin
 - 7 Children's Book Shelf—The Attack and Other Stories
 - 8 A Dutch Boy Fifty Years After
 - 7-8-9 Experiences in Reading and Thinking, Center
 - 7 Juan and Juanita, Baylor
 - 7-8-9 The Life of Edison
 - 8 Man Without a Country, Hale
 - 9 Modern American Short Stories, Cook
 - 9 Modern Lyrics, Dickinson

- 8 Penrod and Sam, Tarkington
- 7-8 Poems of Youth, Cooper
- 7 The Prince and the Pauper, Twain
- 9 The Sketch Book, Irving
- 8 Snowbound, Whittier
- 9 Sohrab and Rustam, Arnold
- 7 Story of a Bad Boy, Aldrich
- 7 Tales of a Wayside Inn
- 7-8-9- Theodore Roosevelt's Letters to his Children
- 7-8 Travel by Air, Land, and Sea; Hanson et al.
- 9 Vision of Sir Launfal, Lowell
- 7-8 World's Messenger, Hanson et al.

PART III

ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOL BOARD, 1946

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WARD FOUR					
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WARD SIX					
V. THERESA MORRISSEY	.	.	.	.	17 Warner Street
WARD SEVEN					
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Superintendent of Schools

EVERETT W. IRELAND

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Residence: 18 Day Street

The Superintendent's Office will be open on school days from 8:00 to 5:00; Saturdays, 8:00 to 10:00 A. M. His office hour is 4:00 on school days and 8:30 on Saturdays.

Assistant Superintendent of Schools

LEO C. DONAHUE
383 Broadway

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 Virginia V. Hender, 202 School Street

Standing Committees

NOTE: The member first named is Chairman; the second, Vice-Chairman.

TEACHERS	Fitzgerald, Shea
FINANCE	Shea, Brown
CURRICULUMS AND INSTRUCTION	Morrissey, Fitzgerald
HEALTH, PHYSICAL TRAINING, AND ATHLETICS	Galvin, Wholey
INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION	Wholey, Landry
SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS	Landry, Galvin
RULES AND REGULATIONS	Brown, Morrissey

Board Meetings

January 7	April 29	October 28
January 28	May 27	November 25
February 25	June 24	December 30
March 25	September 30	

SOMERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Number of Pupils by Subjects

December, 1945

English	2979
Physical Education	2048
U. S. History	695
English History	59
Modern European History	353
World History	302
Ancient History	211
Economic & Civic Problems	105
Elementary Economics	30
Latin	306
French	565
Spanish	286
Italian	111
German	87
Chemistry	341
Physics	160
Physiology	204
Practical Physics	24
Biology	750
Pre-Flight	25
Radio	68
Mathematics Beta	64
Mathematics Gamma	59
General Mathematics	283
Geometry	424
Algebra	418
Secretarial Training	44
Transcription (1)	94
Transcription (2)	44
Stenography (1)	236
Stenography (2)	94
Typewriting	995
Bookkeeping	236
Arithmetic	110
Clerical Practice	671
Office Machines	38
Business Organization	263
Business Science	113
Salesmanship	58
Commercial Law	429
Commerce & Industry	603
Guidance	1816
Occupations	889
Household Arts	163
W. T. Household Arts	86
Freehand Drawing	271
Arts & Crafts	92
Machine & Electronics	19
Graphics	226
Manual Training	103
Commercial Fundamentals	20
Musical Theory	123
Music Appreciation	264
Choral Practice	349

Student Activities

December, 1945

Orchestra	72
Band	90
Girls' Bugle & Drum Corps	85
Girls' Glee Club	100
Boys' Glee Club	95
Student Council	36
School Paper	140
National Honor Society	70
Traffic Squad	63
Portia Debating Society	40
Players' Club	59
Camera Club	23
Girls' Athletics	260
Boys' Athletics	390
Cheer Leaders	40
Junior Red Cross	2750
Symphony Guild	60
Webster Debating Society	25

SOMERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Students entering Higher Institutions in September 1945

State Teachers' Colleges.....		6
Salem	6	
Colleges, Universities & Engineering Schools		22
Boston College	2	
Boston University	6	
Emmanuel	2	
Jackson	2	
Northeastern	4	
Tufts	3	
Regis	1	
Harvard	2	
Other Institutions		43
Bentley	3	
Bryant and Stratton	11	
Burdett	9	
Fisher	16	
Kathleen Dell	2	
Katherine Gibbs	1	
Wentworth	1	
Hospital Training Schools		20
Cambridge Hospital	2	
Lawrence Memorial	6	
Somerville	12	

Summary

State Teachers' Colleges	6
Colleges, Universities and Engineer- ing Schools	22
Other Institutions	43
Hospital Training Schools	20
Total	<u>91</u>

SOMERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Report of the Treasurer, January 1, 1945 to January 1, 1946

Receipts

Balance on hand January 1, 1945	\$4,553.81
Basketball	5,395.62
Baseball	307.09
Hockey	127.25
Football	7,542.73
Programs	53.50
Total	<u>\$17,980.00</u>

Expenditures

Internal Revenue	\$1,817.31
Transportation	740.45
Cleansing and Repairing	1,665.29
Mahady Co.	132.35
Athletic supplies	3,656.49
Somerville Hospital	104.50
Officials	164.00
Entry Fees	18.75
Paid Visiting Teams	1,470.20
Medical supplies	12.05
Printing	69.72
Assistance	12.50
Policing	103.00
Tel. & Tel.	35.60
Postage	14.40
Tufts Athletic Field Insurance	83.00
Tufts Athletic Field Expense	275.20
Infantile Paralysis Fund	168.36
Jackson Chair Company	9.53
Somerville High School Cafeteria	17.50
Rae Crowther Co.	42.50
Physician's Salary	400.00
Doctors' & Dental Services	85.00
Rose Hardware	13.65
Boston Garden	3,653.20
Miscellaneous	56.17
	<u>\$14,820.72</u>

Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1946	\$3,159.28
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SOMERVILLE TEACHERS' CLUB

Officers, 1945-1946

President, FRANCES M. BUTE*Vice-Presidents* { MARY LAWLER
 { PHILOMENA LOMBARDI*Recording Secretary*, ANNA THERESA DIOTAUITI*Corresponding Secretary*, ISOBEL CHENEY*Treasurer*, IRENE ALLEN*Auditor*, E. BELLA WEISMAN

OBJECT

The object shall be to secure a close union among the women teachers in Somerville; to promote the spirit of mutual helpfulness: to advance professional interests; to create a deeper sense of the dignity of the profession; to unite the interest of the home and school.

PROGRAM

October 9—Tea, Unitarian Hall, Miss Mary Roberts, Stylist, Guest Speaker.

December 12—Christmas Tea and Musicales, Unitarian Hall.

February 19—Reception to Past Presidents, Unitarian Hall.

March 9—Rummage Sale, Benefit of Scholarship Fund, Horticultural Hall, Boston.

May 11—Bridge and Fashion Show, Filene's, Boston.

May 15—Annual Meeting and Tea, Unitarian Hall, Showing of N. E. A. Film, "Assignment Tomorrow."

June—A Night at "Pops", Symphony Hall.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

The graduation exercises of the High School occurred Friday, June 1, 1945.

ORDER OF EXERCISES

THOMAS J. BURKE, Chairman of the School Committee, Presiding

1. MARCH—"Coronation March" Meyerbeer
High School Orchestra
2. PRAYER—Reverend J. C. Albright,
Pastor, Church of the Nazarene, Somerville
Response—"Gottschalk" Old German
Choral Club
3. SELECTION—"Cherubic Hymn" Bortniansky
Choral Club
4. CLASS ORATION—"Education, Today and Tomorrow"
George Oberbeck
5. SELECTION—Operatic and Symphonic Airs—
Arranged by Mr. Grady
High School Orchestra
6. ADDRESS—Reverend Anthony J. Flaherty,
Director, Somerville Catholic Charities Center
7. CLASS POEM—"Our Ship"
Florence Celata
8. PRESENTATION OF PRIZES—
Harry F. Sears, Headmaster
9. SELECTION—"The Lost Chord" Sullivan
Choral Club, Senior Class and Orchestra
10. CLASS ODE Words and Music by Lorraine Crescia
11. SINGING OF ODE—Senior Class
12. PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS—
Frederick J. Ryan, William B. Bailey
Members of the School Committee
13. MARCH—"Festival March" Herfurth
High School Orchestra

Chorus and Orchestra under the direction of Bart E. Grady
Director of Music in the Public Schools

SOMERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

LIST OF GRADUATES

June, 1945

*Graduated with Honor

†In Armed Forces

GIRLS

- Lillian Aaronian
 Anna Abbondante
 Elaine Constance Abbott
 Edith Mary Adams
 Marie Eileen Albright
 Ethel R. Alcione
 *Marcia Leah Alpert
 Dhimitra Anastas
 *Roberta Gloria Angelosanto
 Eleanore M. Antunes
 Emma Archer
 Emily Mary Armstrong
 Helen Josephine Aspell
 Rita Gertrude Bacci
 Gloria Rita Bagatti
 June Patricia Bagnell
 Louise Elsie Bamford
 Norma Frances Barchard
 Joan Elizabeth Barker
 Julia M. Barker
 Jean A. Barr
 Eleanor Frances Basile
 Catherine Olive Beckwith
 Rose Santa Belviso
 Lucy Elizabeth Benoit
 Edna M. Benway
 Dorothy G. Beohner
 *Rina Carole Biagiotti
 Irene Veronica Bielakowski
 Helen Virginia Billios
 Nancy Marie Birarelli
 Barbara Elva Blanchard
 Eleanor Pauline Blasi
 Anna Dorothy Blute
 Eleanor Ann Boland
 Catherine Teresa Bolduc
 *Elaine Marie Bonaparte
 Mildred Marjorie Botelho
 Barbara Jean Bouchié
 Lillian J. Bove
 Joan R. Bradford
 Ann Louisa Brayton
 Margaret Theresa Brennan
 Rita Pauline Brennan
 Elsie Broderick
 Carolyn Ann Brown
 Phyllis F. Brunet
 Louise Marie Bureau
 *Dorothy Estelle Burke
 *Phyllis Grace Busi
 Marie Elizabeth Buttner
 Evelyn Irene Cabral
 Marjorie Dovina Calesa
 Frances Mary Calia
 Rosarie J. Caliri
 Shirley Mae Callahan
 Jemma Annmarie Caratelli
 Lorraine Phyllis Carlin
 Ruth Virginia Carlin
 Elizabeth Anna Carlos
 Jean Theresa Carroll
 Bruna B. Casali
 Mabel Gladys Casali
 Lucy M. Catanzano
 Florence A. Celata
 Caroline J. Celeste
 Ada Margaret Cenci
 Lorraine Mary Jane Chartrand
 *Anahid H. Chebookjian
 Aurora M. Ciccariello
 Grace Lovell Clark
 Marjorie P. Cobbino
 Catherine Louise Coleman
 Genevieve Colony
 Kathleen Frances Conneilly
 Louise Marguerite Connelly
 Theresa Barbara Connolly
 Mary G. Connors
 Ann Marie Corbeil
 Natalie Beatrice Correia
 Renée Cecelia Correia
 *Lorraine Pauline Crescio
 Margaret Ann Crispo
 Ruth Elizabeth Croke
 Eleanor Marie Crowley
 Irene Deanna Cruz
 Winnifred M. Curtin
 *Josephine Ann Cusolito
 Yolanda Maria Cutone
 *Josephine Marie D'Accone
 Joan Dagainis
 Ethel Mae Dangora
 Mary Margaret Day
 Rita DeAngelis
 Ida Doris DelMastro
 Eleanor N. DeMarco
 Frances Mary DeSimone
 Mary Florence Devereaux
 Raye Manning Dexter
 Beverly Dickenson
 *Aun Elena DiFranco
 Lena Marie DiFranco

Lorraine Elizabeth Donahue
 Flora Severina Donati
 Marie J. Dondero
 Margaret Theresa Donnellan
 *Kathleen Marie Donnelly
 Eleanore Louise Donovan
 *Kathleen M. Donovan
 Anna Drugas
 Doris G. DuCharme
 Lorraine Rita Dufour
 Norma R. Dunphy
 Alda Mary Duponte
 Elizabeth Susan Dyke
 Anne-Marie Edwards
 Gloria Mary Ercolini
 Phyllis Irene Ewell
 Marie Ann Federico
 Theresa Fernandes
 Jean Munro Ferris
 Evelyn Lena Ferullo
 Ann Finitis
 *Irene Fishburne
 *Claire Marie Fitzgerald
 Madeline Theresa Fitzgerald
 Rose Mary Fitzgerald
 Rosalyn Naomi Flaxman
 Fern Estelle Fligg
 Jeanette Fooks
 *Isabel Theresa Ford
 Marjorie Ann Foster
 Doris Muriel Gadoury
 Claire Jeannette Gagné
 Ann Garvey
 Phyllis Irene Gaudet
 Rita Marie Gearon
 Marilyn Mae Geldart
 Marie Gerotheou
 Dorothea Rita Giangrande
 Josephine L. Gianino
 Marjorie A. Gibbons
 Elizabeth Gilmartin
 Ruth Elizabeth Gilmore
 *Phyllis Elizabeth Girard
 Dorothy Ruth Godfrey
 Dorothy Lucille Gorman
 Muriel Gladys Grace
 Rena Grasso
 Rose Marie Grasso
 Jean Marie Guertin
 Nancy Guglietta
 Dorothy Frances Hagar
 Helen Theresa Haggerty
 *Sophie John Hagigeorges
 Claire Louise Hall
 Yvonne Theresa Hamel
 Pearl Clara Harnum
 Barbara Marjorie Harron
 Helen Theresa Harrower

Agnes Hegarty
 *Irene Betty Hellmann
 Jessie M. Henriques
 Barbara Claire Hersom
 Patricia M. Hoar
 Alberta Irene Holden
 Ruth Virginia Holley
 Theresa Mary Hopkins
 R. Mary Hudson
 Barbara Anne Hughes
 Ruth Margaret Husselbee
 Angela Theresa Iosue
 Effie A. Jarmosis
 Shirley Fern Johnson
 Marian Bernice Julien
 *Mary C. Kacoyanis
 Ramona Ann Kalczynski
 Helen Marie Kearney
 Mary Theresa Kelly
 Winifred Bernice Kelly
 Ann Louise Kennedy
 Doris Margaret Kenney
 Gertrude Joan King
 Louise Helena Kintigos
 Marian Isabelle Kirkpatrick
 Barbara W. Knickle
 Margery Victoria Korch
 Rita Albina Labadini
 Ann Agnes Lambert
 Angela Marie Langone
 Barbara Ann Laverty
 Helen Marie Leary
 Katherine Anna Leaver
 Laraine Ann Leccacorvi
 Virginia Dorothea Lee
 Ruth Lees
 Gloria Therese Lenane
 Mary Angelina Libardoni
 Helen G. Lioutas
 Geraldine Rose Liquore
 Barbara E. Locke
 Elizabeth Ellen Logan
 *Ella Marie Loiodice
 Dorothea Ann Lombardi
 Kathryn Marie Longergan
 Mary Alice Lounsbury
 Marion Althea Lowe
 Mary Loye
 Carolyn Grace Luciano
 Edith Lillian Macaluso
 Nureen Kathryn MacCarthy
 Mary Margaret MacDonald
 Rose Marie Macera
 Nancy Lucia Macero
 Ruth Virginia Mack
 Isabel MacKay
 *Sally A. Mackey
 Jean Lois MacKinnon

- Jean Elizabeth MacNeill
 Anne MacPhee
 Barbara R. MacQuarrie
 Helen Irene MacRae
 Patricia M. Madruga
 Ruth Marie Magill
 *Marguerite L. Magliozzi
 Mary Henrietta Maguire
 Claire L. Mallard
 Rose Madelaine Mari
 Josephine Vilma Marino
 *Shirley I. Marryat
 Alma Marsilii
 Shirley Isabel Martin
 Grace Frances Masone
 Gloria Louise McAdam
 Irene Barbara McBride
 Marion E. McBurnie
 Marion Teresa McCarthy
 Gloria Ilene McGrath
 Barbara A. McIntyre
 Elizabeth Ruth McKenna
 Doris Mae McKenzie
 Evelyn Ruth McKenzie
 Therese A. McLaughlin
 Isabella Teresa McManus
 Evelyn Louise McNeilly
 Grace Frances McPhee
 Eleanor Marie Medeiros
 Barbara Anne Mercer
 Emily Mikalaros
 Mary Millerian
 Eleanor Elizabeth Molan
 Virginia Mary Mollahan
 Maryann E. Mondi
 *Edith Florence Mongan
 Gloria Louise Montesano
 Marjorie Isabelle Moreside
 Virginia Mary Morgan
 Loretta Helen Morrissey
 Louise Irene Morrissey
 Mary Doris Morrissey
 Marjorie Faye Morrison
 Helen Ann Moser
 Orenthia Moulis
 Irene Carol Moynihan
 Gertrude Marie Mulvey
 Barbara Mary Mulveyhill
 Marilyn Janette Murphy
 *Mary Nardone
 Rose Marie Nardone
 Aurora Nerbooso
 Eunice Wilhelmia Newell
 Phyllis Mary Nigro
 Ruth Lenore Noseworthy
 Helen K. O'Brien
 Frances Louise O'Connell
 Jean Marie O'Connell
 Virginia Catherine O'Keefe
 Teresa O'Leary
 Idalina Oliveira
 Adelfa R. Olivelli
 Mary S. Olivelli
 Alice F. O'Neil
 Pauline Agnes O'Reilly
 Lois May Pacheco
 Madeline Theresa Pacheco
 Marie G. Pacheco
 *Lois Norma Paladini
 Doris Barbara Palmer
 Marie Theresa Priscilla Paquet
 Katherine H. Pasqua
 Regina Josephine Patalano
 Mary R. Phelan
 Dorothy Jean Phillips
 Natalie Dorothy Phillips
 *Enima Frances Pizzotti
 *Alice Lillian Ponte
 Celia Jean Porrazzo
 Elizabeth Isabelle Price
 Lillian Price
 Marion Reta Price
 Josephine Rita Quatieri
 Pearl Kibby Randall
 Marguerite Helen Reagan
 Virginia J. Reardon
 Mary Geraldine Reitchel
 Leah Ann Riccio
 Lorraine M. Ripley
 Madeline Mary Rizzo
 Rita M. E. Rizzo
 Wilma Ross Robertson
 *Ruth C. Robinson
 Eleanor J. Rocci
 Evelyn Theresa Ruggiero
 Mary Ann Ruma
 Madeline Joan Rupprecht
 Barbara Lee Russell
 *Norma Pearl Russell
 Rita Marie Ryan
 Carolyn Rose Sala
 Vilma Caroline Sanesi
 Ines M. Santomango
 Victoria Elizabeth Sarkisian
 Beverly Burns Sauerwine
 Clara J. Scalesse
 Mary C. Sheridan
 *Ruth Beatrice Sherman
 Ruth J. Shiere
 Mary Louise Shine
 *Catherine Sica
 Phyllis Louise Simms
 Helen Frances Simonetti
 *Grace M. Simpson
 *Edith Pauline Small
 Phyllis Anne Smallwood

Elizabeth Marie Smith
 Jean Elizabeth Smith
 Ruth E. Smith
 *Helen Priscilla Sousa
 Mary Elizabeth Spinosa
 Louise M. Stanton
 Doris Louise Steele
 Audrey Jean Steeves
 Anna S. Stepanishen
 Mary E. Stewart
 Helen Blyth Stone
 *Clara Stringos
 *Marilyn Strom
 Linnie Evelyn Strong
 Muriel Elaine Strong
 Claire Ann Stuart
 Maryanna Antoinette Sturzo
 Eileen Sullivan
 Helen Christine Sullivan
 Sally Theresa Sullivan
 Rosemarie Tarabelli
 Hope Marjorie Tarbell
 Margaret Tawse
 Doreen Lillian Taylor
 Patricia A. Thayer
 Helen Theophile
 Margaret F. Thompson
 Catherine Mary Joan Travalini
 Isabel M. Troughton
 Priscilla Knight Truesdale
 Louise Marie Turner
 Louise Susan Turner
 Gertrude Frances Tuxbury
 Lucille Ann Umano
 Jean Vandemark
 *Dorothy Arnold VanInderstine
 Elizabeth Marie Varley
 Audrey Carol Verdi
 Custodia C. Viegas
 Helen Louise Vossmer
 June Idella Walker
 Dorothy Alexandria Wallace
 Marie Agnes Walls
 Alice Theresa Walsh
 Mary E. Walsh
 Florence P. Ward
 Delora Elizabeth Waters
 Phyllis Lingard Webb
 Eleanor Ruth Wentworth
 *Dorothy Theresa Wentzell
 Rita Ann Whalen
 Eva Rebecca Whaley
 Phyllis Berniece Whitman
 Jeanne Elizabeth Whitney
 Audrey Ann Wike
 Armelia Alma Willis
 Marilyn Elizabeth Winn
 Helen Rebecca Woodward

*Beryl Lulu Wortman
 *Marjorie Hilda Wright
 Irene Youden
 Marie Rose Zagaria
 Alice A. Zermani

BOYS

*Paul Joseph Ahearn
 Michael B. Altobelli
 Ralph E. Anderson, Jr.
 Robert C. Anderson
 Rudolph Joseph Antonelli
 Pasquale Anthony Arrigo
 Joseph R. Arsenault
 Peter J. Bagarella
 Robert A. Balboni
 Louis Bamberg
 Henry Hamilton Banks
 John W. Baratta
 Peter Joseph Barbuti
 George Barmashi
 Robert Kenneth Barrett
 Richard J. Barry
 Robert Lewis Bennett
 Louis Raymond Bertocci
 Philip Bornstein
 Robert Emile Brault
 Richard Francis Brennan
 James Joseph Briody
 Kenneth Earl Bruce
 Joseph M. Brune
 James Patrick Buckley
 Neil George Buckley
 James Cullen Buell
 Russell H. Burnett
 Robert Raymond Busi
 Frederick Joseph Cadieux
 Anthony F. Caggiano
 Eugene Alfred Cancelliere
 Anthony George Capobianco
 John F. Cass
 John Thomas Cavanaugh
 Richard Henry Chetham
 Alfred Chiaraluce
 Edward A. Ciampa
 Charles Vincent Ciano
 *Fred Benedict Clemens
 Edmund J. Colbert
 Edward Joseph Coleman
 Anthony Joseph Colosi
 Joseph Francis Corbin
 Francis Xavier Costello
 William Francis Coughlin
 Donald E. Crawford
 Francis Bernard Cullinane
 Joseph Anthony DaCunta
 Marshall Henry David

- Eugene Louis DeBonis
 *Anthony Joseph DeFuria
 Vincent Anthony DeSimone
 Lee C. Devereaux
 Carl Austin Dewey
 Cosmo Vincent DiDomenico
 Anthony B. DiLuna
 Pasquale DePasquale
 James Vincent DiRocco
 Ralph Charles DiRusso
 Francis Thomas Doherty
 Timothy Joseph Downing
 Peter George Drakopoulos
 William Thomas Durant
 Richard Leslie England
 Charles Russell Escott
 David Robert Farnham
 *Sante Fava
 Oliver Floyd Fitts
 Everett Francis Fitzgerald
 William Paul Fitzgerald
 Francis Augustine Flanagan
 Harry N. Fountas
 Donald George Fowke
 Martin Joseph Frazer, Jr.
 Ernest W. Frost
 Bernard Edward Gavin
 Donald Francis Geary
 Philip J. Gerrior
 Richard C. Giacobozzi
 John Anthony Giliberto
 Joseph Edward Gillis
 Raymond A. Gillis
 Angelo F. Giordano
 Kenneth Clark Goodwin
 James Kenneth Gould
 John Anthony Grady
 Edward Joseph Graham
 Alfred A. Grandone
 Joseph Gregory, Jr.
 George A. Gullage
 †William Farmer Gullette, Jr.
 James Corey Gunning
 Bruce Woodman Gurney
 William Anthony Hanley
 James J. Hanlon
 William Albert Harris
 *Walter Leo Harrison
 Stanley Emil Hart
 Frank Melvin Haywood
 James Joseph Hegarty
 Robert Eugene Hemenway
 Richard Keven Heneghan
 Carl G. Henrickson
 Joseph Stanley Hillson
 James Stephan Holland
 Charles Robert Holmes
 Charles George Homsy
 Richard E. Hudson
 George Sylvester Hughes
 James Joseph Hulse
 John A. Hutchins
 James Joseph Hynes
 Ellsworth S. Irwin, Jr.
 Gino Edward Izzi
 *Jack James Jackson
 Donald William Jeffrey
 Charles Sumner Johnston
 Howard A. Judd
 George John Kalton
 Richard F. Kane
 Charles Joseph Kearns
 Robert Edward King
 Arthur Francis Kinsley
 †John Labadini
 Lawrence E. Labadini
 William Hartley Laidlaw
 Stephen Edward Lambert
 John Joseph Laurendeau
 Gaetano Anthony Lauricella
 Lewis Hirsch Leavitt
 Otto Edward John Legg
 Albert Francis Little
 Paul James Lombardo
 *Roy Thomas Lucas
 *John Malcolm MacCallum, Jr.
 Lawrence Joseph MacDonald
 Wallace Carlton MacPherson
 Robert Francis Magnell
 William Francis Mahoney
 George Joseph Maloney
 Charles Peter Mamakos
 Nicholas Marcone
 Arthur Richard Maunder
 Joseph Lewis Mayer, Jr.
 John J. McCarthy, Jr.
 †Roy James McDonald
 William James McDonough
 George Albert McKenzie
 John Joseph McKinnon
 John Lawrence Meaney
 Harry Meehan
 Aldo A. Migliorini
 Alexander Mitrano
 Robert Clayton Mixer
 Elligio Paul Molino
 Thomas Harold Monahan
 Joseph Moniz, Jr.
 Edward A. Moran
 Everett O. Morrow
 Anthony Michael Mottola
 Alfred Arthur Muskalski
 Charles A. Myott
 Richard Herbert Northrop
 Ned Nash Norworth
 *George Arthur Oberbeck

Donald F. O'Brien	†John Joseph Sheehan
Charles O'Connell	Charles Paul Siciliano
James John O'Leary	Alphonse John Silva
John Joseph O'Meara	John Louis Silva
Peter Theodore Panopoulos	William Howard Skiffington
Harold Alvin Parechanian	Donald Everett Smith
Salvatore Pasciuto	Pasquale Anthony Soccorso
*Vincent J. Patalano	William Francis Stevens
Walter Edwin Pazolt	Frederic Charles Richard Steward
*Donald Merton Perkins	Paul A. Tagliamonte
Arthur J. Petone	Walter Patrick Tarnato
Norman Edward Pickering	*Melvin George Titelbaum
Anthony Paul Pisari	Leo Nathan Triber
Joseph Edmund Poirier	George Dean Tsotsi
Joseph Patrick Powers	*Thomas Tsotsi
Robert Irwin Pugatch	Joseph Edward Vallone
William Thomas Rae, Jr.	Stephen Vangel
Albert Razzaboni	Norman Hallett St. Clair Vroom
John Francis Regan	*James A. Wall
Raymond Francis Robinson	Herbert Lawrence Weatherbee
Frederick William Roche	Edwin Earl Welch
Paul Anthony Salvi	Vernon Fenwick Welch
Robert E. Schaejbe	John M. White
William Semple, Jr.	Howard R. Whitman
John A. Seyffert	Lawrence Whittier
N. Manfred Shaffer	Alton Angus Wilkins
*Augustine Francis Sharry	

IN ACCELERATED COURSE

Graduated—January 31, 1945

Joseph Edward Barry	Louis Naum Nicholas
Paul John Bogis	Thomas Xavier O'Callaghan
William Bartlett Gannon	Henry Francis O'Meara
*Harold Slade Glenzel	Lawrence Anthony Pasalacqua
Edwin Cherry Hargreaves	Ronald Elmer Stanford
Warren Herman Maddows	*Robert Arthur Welch
Herbert Frederick Morrissey	Robert Edward Willwerth

Diplomas awarded by the School Committee to the following in the Armed Forces:

Robert Alfred Allen	Robert Alan Gregor
Donald Ray Benedict	Gerard Thomas Hoar
Aharon Asadoor Berberian	Trueman Carl Jackson
Richard Peter Biagiotti	Thomas Francis Jennings
Joseph James Brunetto	Richard Allen Johnston
Robert L. Bunce	George Joseph Keefe
Charles Caruso	Leo Michael King
Richard Edward Conrad	George Anthony Luciano
Edwin John Costa	William James Maher
Henry George Cournoyer	Peter James Matsas
Francis Joseph DeThomas	George McGown
Robert John Donovan	Francis Joseph McGrath
Francis Xavier Duggan	Louis Charles Melillo
James Augustine Flynn	Joseph Leo O'Loughlin, Jr.

Robert Emil Pasquale
 Richard Albert Peak
 Peter Salvatore Pedulla
 Joseph Jeremiah Phillion
 Walter Martin Quealy
 George Vincent Renault
 James Francis Redmond
 Charles Allen Reid
 John Edward Reilly
 William Elwood Rockwell

Francis John Rooney
 Armando George Russo
 Plato Sermos
 J. Robert Sherman
 Noble Lewis Taylor
 Donald H. Tuff
 Harry R. Wagg
 Russell Albert Waterman
 George Linwood Wilson

Diplomas awarded by the School Committee to the following members of former graduating classes now in the Armed Forces:

HIGH SCHOOL

as of class of 1941—Charles Francis Quigley

WESTERN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

As of class of 1944—Richard Paul Callahan

LIST OF GRADUATES

Junior High School graduations occurred in the school buildings on June 15, 1945.

Northeastern

GIRLS

Santa E. Accaputo
 Rita Marie Allaire
 Esther E. Amato
 Nancy M. Angelo
 Lorraine Patricia Antunes
 Ida E. Aquila
 Jean Pearl Augusta
 Rita Grace Barrasso
 Gloria M. Battaglia
 Jean M. Belmonte
 Louise Isabella Bennett
 Barbara Anne Bergeron
 Catherine Anna Biagioni
 Elaine G. Bonner
 Claire J. Bosia
 Catherine F. Brennick
 Carmella M. Bruno
 Claire A. Buckley
 May Marie Burgess
 Evelyn M. Cabral
 Catherine H. Calareso
 Joyce S. Caldarone
 Marie E. Campbell
 Regina E. Campinell

Elizabeth A. Capotosto
 Corinne W. Carlucci
 Florence Winifred Carroll
 Josephine M. Cave
 Constance M. Cecere
 Rita E. Chiodo
 Carmelina C. Cianciarulo
 Eleanor R. Ciampa
 Lucia E. Cicatelli
 Ruth I. Cochran
 Mary C. Collazzo
 Angela R. Correnti
 Rita Ann Cournoyer
 Louise M. Crikos
 Marie Julia Crowe
 Irene V. Cullen
 Dorothy Rose Culligan
 Rita Ann Cuneo
 Dolores Ann DeAngelis
 Antonette Marie DelGaudio
 Gloria J. DelGaudio
 Christine Demopoulos
 Marion Dorothy Derby
 Yolanda DiMartino
 Ruth J. Dinerstein

Ermelinda L. Dini
 Mary DiNitto
 Eleanor A. DiPanfilo
 Joan Marie Dober
 Mary Jane Donofrio
 Evelyn Shiela Donovan
 Ethel Dube
 Mary-Rose Duffy
 Eileen Gertrude Dunbar
 Ellen L. Dyer
 Jane H. Dyer
 Katherine Mary Dyer
 Elvera O. Ecklof
 Martha J. Ellis
 Susan A. Eovine
 Vivian F. Famolari
 Dollena Hattie Farrell
 Anna Theresa Farren
 Maydelle Dorothy Fay
 Catherine Maria Feneck
 Claire Josephine Ferro
 Phyllis Angela Fiasconi
 Norma J. Fiore
 Geraldine S. Fitzgerald
 Marie L. Fitzgerald
 Marion Mae Flaxman
 Doris Billie Fowler
 Hazel C. Frey
 Barbara Ann Fuller
 Elizabeth M. Freda
 Shirley Loretta Fyfe
 Thelma Louise Gearty
 Kathryn J. Geleas
 Marilyn Frances Geswell
 Marie Ann Giannini
 Isabel A. Gillis
 Joan Edith Gillis
 Theresa C. Giordano
 Shirley G. Goldberg
 Martha M. Gordinier
 Elizabeth G. Gorfine
 Mary H. Grace
 Frances Mary Graffeo
 Mildred A. Gregoire
 Lois E. Hamilton
 Ann E. Hegarty
 Patricia P. Hegarty
 Anna Hekemian
 Ruth G. Henrikson
 Theresa Heneghan
 Dorothy F. Holley
 Dorothy Ada Homer
 Mary Elizabeth Hurley
 Margaret Mary Irons
 Doris Margaret Jackson
 Diane Marie Jacome
 Helen Kehoe

Marguerite Theresa Kelleher
 Hazel Pearl King
 Fotina Kolokotroni
 Elaine Margaret Kostandin
 Barbara LaFauci
 Gloria Mae Lakin
 Gloria Marie Landry
 Jean Lorraine Lavery
 Ramona Lazzarino
 Anna Lazzarino
 Anna Thomasine Lennox
 Jennie Mary Loconte
 Dorothy Alice Lynch
 Marilyn Pearl MacInnes
 Doris Pearl MacKenzie
 Lois Josephine MacKenzie
 Helen M. Malone
 Marie Ann Marangi
 Lorraine Corrine Marchino
 Doris Rita Matarazzo
 Claire Margaret McCarthy
 Gloria Mae McKenney
 Marion Louise McTighe
 Catherine Mary Meaney
 Marie J. Miano
 Nathalie Mori
 Geraldine Anne Morris
 Gloria Yvonne Mosher
 Barbara Edith Mountain
 Patricia Ann Mulligan
 Mary Ann Murdza
 Anna Mary Murphy
 Louise Mary Murphy
 Mary Patricia Murphy
 Patricia Murphy
 Julia Louise Musetti
 Dorothy Nasson
 Beatrice Joyce Newell
 Theresa Marie Nighelli
 Betty Ann Noyce
 Mary Ann O'Connor
 June Winifred O'Donnell
 Helen Louise O'Hare
 Dorothy Orriss
 Esther Ann Overton
 Anna Marie Palmer
 Helen Camille Parziale
 Florence Lillian Porcella
 Margaret Pelley
 Virginia Anne Piccoli
 Doris Evelyn Pickering
 Jean C. Pollock
 Ruth Price
 Irene T. Quigley
 Theresa A. Renna
 Mary Louise Renner
 Frances Claire Rogers

Joyce Caroline Royal
 Margaret A. Rowe
 Helen A. Rupprecht
 Carmella Russo
 Margaret Mary Ryan
 Jeanne G. Saulnier
 Barbara Ann Seifred
 Beverly Bissett Sewell
 Catherine Thelma Shea
 Lauralee Sheehan
 Anne Terese Sheridan
 Lorraine Esther Silva
 Marjorie Aileen Simpson
 Nancy Elizabeth Simpson
 Jean Ann Skéffington
 Patricia Mary Small
 Jean Frances Smith
 Evelyn Adrianna Snow
 June Clara Snyder
 Pauline Rosemarie Solimine
 Lydia Elizabeth Spignese
 Marjorie Louise Stares
 Della Ann Taylor
 Margaret Etta Tiernan
 Lorraine Florence Towne
 Annie Tseko
 Rose Marie Vardaro
 Constance Arlene Vartabedian
 Frances Vendittis
 Janeth Linnette Watson
 Bernice Marie Weldon
 Thelma A. Weldon
 Eleanor Mary Wentzell
 Norma Marie Wentzell
 Florence Emily Wilson
 Ivane F. Wilson
 Jean Claire Young
 Mary Ellen Zanolì
 Emmy Louise Zavisho
 Marianne Rose Zuzolo

BOYS

Bruce Addor
 Joseph Edward Anderson
 Albert Joseph Antunes
 Edward Richard Ayer
 Kenneth F. Bailey
 Royce Allen Bailey
 Norman M. Baxter
 David Earle Beede
 Richard E. Beliveau
 Robert J. Beliveau
 Louis M. Bevilacqua
 Louis Frank Biagioni
 Joseph A. Brignolo
 Joseph Patrick Brisbois

John J. Boyson
 James A. Brennan
 Frank R. Buchanan
 Joseph E. Caggiano
 Pasquale J. Carbone
 Robert E. Carlin
 Gaetano Cassaro
 Peter A. Cassetta
 Michael A. Castellano
 Edward J. Cavanaugh
 John A. Certusi
 Robert James Chartrand
 Alvah D. Chisholm
 Roy A. Conrad
 Albert Conti
 Richard Benedict Coughlin
 Eugene Cournoyer
 Robert C. Cremona
 Francis James Cronis
 Edward J. Cunningham
 Leon William Curtin
 Bertram E. Davis
 Donald John Decker
 Edward Joseph D'Entremont
 Normand Joseph Desrochers
 Alphee J. Deveau
 Joseph Devereaux
 Gerald N. DiGiusto
 Robert Anthony DiStasio
 Donald Doane
 Raymond Domenici
 Robert Domings
 Robert Donahue
 Donald Joseph Drew
 Joseph Leo Driscoll
 William P. Duddy
 William H. Dyer
 Frank Edmunds, Jr.
 Richard Joseph Emberley
 Edward Empoliti
 Edwin E. W. Erickson, Jr.
 Charles Faletra
 Eugene J. Felch
 James Edward Fitzgerald
 William D. Fitzgerald
 William B. Forsberg, Jr.
 Tyler H. Foster
 Peter Freda
 Raymond E. Fyler
 Ralph J. Galante
 John D. Ganno
 Robert Garvey
 William P. Georgenes
 Geno Giangrande
 Robert C. Gibbs
 Ernest Eugene Gilbert
 Anthony Giordano

Cosmo Giordano
 Joseph Richard Glover
 Evo Joseph Gramolini
 Robert Graham
 John James Halloran
 Richard William Heenan
 Lawrence J. Herman
 Wayne L. Hill
 Foster H. Hopkins
 John Edwards Howland
 Richard A. Hume
 Onel Emile Jean
 Allen F. Jonah
 Frank E. Julien
 Vincent DePaul Kane
 Dennis Kelleher
 Robert Harriss Kiley
 Albert LaFauci
 Anthony Joseph Lamb
 Paul Edward Leary
 James Warren Lees
 Joseph Richard Lennon
 George Louis Lippe
 Daniel Anton Lucas
 Edward Joseph Lynch
 Stavros Macaris
 Carl L. Maiocco
 Leonard Thomas Mallahan
 Donald K. Marquez
 David Francis Martin
 Lawrence E. Martin
 Andrew A. Martino
 Joseph Michael Martino
 Philip Charles Mazzola
 Daniel Francis McCarthy
 Richard Charles McCarthy
 Walter F. McCarthy
 Hubert J. McColgan
 Joseph Francis McDonald
 James W. McDuff
 Robert Douglas McKiel
 Warren Roy McMaster
 Joseph J. Merigo
 Stanley Walter Miere
 John B. Miles
 George F. Miller, Jr.
 Edward B. Mitchell
 Joseph W. Monahan
 Richard W. Moore
 Joseph F. Morris
 Arthur Mucci, Jr.
 Robert Charles Murnane
 Edward James Murphy
 Norman G. Nadeau
 Ralph Ernest Nardone
 Anesti Lazar Nasson
 Phillip Arthur Nasson

Timothy Netos
 John Lawrence Nugent
 John Robert O'Connor
 Dennis Joseph O'Leary
 David O'Meara
 Steven Oriani
 Charles S. Pando
 Peter Charles Passanisi
 Alfred Pellecchia
 Herbert Walter Peterson
 Joseph G. Petone
 Walter H. Phillips
 Guy T. Piro, Jr.
 William J. Pousland
 Raymond G. Powell
 Eugene Powers
 Robert A. Quinn
 Daniel Stephen Quirici
 David A. Reid
 Howard Everett Rideout
 Gerald A. Rockwood
 Alexander Romano
 Allan R. Ross
 Albert Rossi
 Charles Gerald Rossi
 Michael N. Russo
 Jerome V. Saitta
 Robert Edward Sarno
 Phillippe J. Saulnier
 George Robert Schipani
 Parker John Shanahan
 George Joseph Sharkey
 William Parker Shepard
 Peter Harry Simone
 Robert W. Simons
 James Small
 Francis Smith
 Frank Spinosa
 Thomas Wylie Steele
 James Francis Stone
 Robert E. Swanfeldt
 Anthony M. Tartaglia
 William Stanley Trask
 Joseph James Travaglia
 Francis Twohig
 Charles Bradford Tyler
 Alford Bert Vancour, Jr.
 Richard K. Vartabedian
 David Henry Walsh
 Francis P. White
 Arthur Loring Williams
 Ronald Wright
 Anthony M. Zaccardo
 Gerald P. Zaccardo
 Thimios John Zanetos
 David Zavisho

Southern

GIRLS

Alice Marie Ahern	Jean Frances Egan
Donetté R. Alford	Marcella W. Equils
Elsie Gloria Almeida	Henrietta Estrella
Michela Grace Andolino	Theresa N. Fantasia
Theresa Margaret Andrews	Sally Anne Farrington
Assunta Susan Aprile	Nancy George Felt
Eleanor Theresa Ardizzoni	Gloria Mary Ferrandini
Florence Jean Austin	Mary Ferrante
Alma Alice Baratta	Cecilia Ann Flanagan
Helen Doreen Barreira	Mary Frichette
Sabina A. Barrett	Anna Gallinaro
Mary Theresa Barufaldi	Dorothy Frances George
Lorraine M. Belhumeur	Rita Anna George
Alma Judith Biciocchi	Helen Myla Gibbons
Kathleen Lillian Boone	Doris A. Giles
Mildred L. Bragan	Jean Gillespie
Lorraine Frances Bullwinkle	Mary Gogolos
Selma Barbara Byke	Joan Louise Gray
Genevieve M. Cameron	Mary Lavinia Grover
Amelia M. Capodanno	L. Lorraine Guaraldi
Ruth Evelyn Carlin	Concettina Guglietta
Anna Vincenza Castellano	Lorraine Margaret Gullage
Lucy Mary Castellano	Margaret Mary Hargraves
Madeline Louise Cavicchio	Lillian Marie Hill
Lorraine Marie Champoux	Mary Helen Holland
Dorothy M. Chase	Ethel Dorothy Howse
Patricia Ann Chase	Doris Louise Hunt
Concetta T. Chiaraluce	Patricia Clair Husselbee
Effie Christos	Barbara Lee Ingram
Katie Chrysakis	Lois Ann Johnston
Doris Mary Cicerano	Thelma Jouvelakas
Muriel Lucille Cidado	Loretta Eleanor Kaminski
Stella Nancy Cinganelli	Carlene Alice Kennie
Rose Marie Cogliano	Mary Kiladis
Joan Dorothy Colbert	Mary B. Koutsoulis
Civita Mary Colozzi	Mary Theresa Lafferty
Margaret Ann Connors	Helen D. Laghetto
Elizabeth A. Costa	Rosemary Ann Latanowich
Betty Gordon Cowie	Frances Willminia Laurenson
Ruth Marie Crouse	Barbara Marie Lauzon
Frances Shirley Crowe	Isabelle Mary Leary
Lillian Teresa Cunha	Jennie Lingos
Lydia T. Cunha	Lorraine E. Lowry
Winifred Bernice Damery	Bernice Veronica Macdonald
Geraldine Rita Darienzo	Shirley MacWilliams
Ruth Emily Davidson	Civitina Rose Mammolette
Nancy DeLorenzo	Catherine Maneatis
Theresa DeSousa	Dolores Louise Marshall
Jemma M. DiFusco	Dolores Ruth Marshall
Jeanette DiRusso	Marie Catherine Martell
Anna T. Dischino	Mary Loretta McGrath
Claire Elizabeth Donovan	Joan H. McPhee
Dorothy Margaret Doyle	Marilyn Louise Mersereau
	Joan Michie
	Dorothy Gelsomina Mili

Dorothy Elizabeth Miller
 Marjorie Ernestine Minett
 Angelina Mary Molinari
 Joan M. Mullaney
 Lorraine Marion Mullen
 Meriem Ann Murphy
 Evelyn Gertrude Murray
 Alice Najarian
 Eva R. Nardone
 Janet Louise Nickerson
 Mary Frances Nocco
 Mildred Marie Normile
 Rita Marie O'Malley
 Beverly Alice Ormes
 Eunice Beatrice Osbourne
 Marion Natalie Pacheco
 Agatha Margaret Palmer
 Josephine E. Pann
 Frances Patalano
 Barbara Louise Pearson
 Carol O. Peck
 Constance Mary Philbrick
 Anna Marie Pigott
 Anna Marie Pisani
 Mary Theresa Poland
 Mary Gloria Porcaro
 Marie Louise Puppo
 Theresa Catherine Quinn
 Rita Lillian Rais
 Dolores Arlene Rapose
 Lorraine Teresa Rego
 Patricia Marie Rispettoso
 Audrey Anita Roberts
 Florence E. Robinson
 Mildred Ann Robinson
 Jean Evelyn Rollins
 Mary Lillian Santos
 Jeanette Marie Sarno
 Margaret Scanlan
 Anna Scoufopoulos
 Rita Sherman
 Eleanor Jeanette Silva
 Theresa Marie Silva
 Florence Marie Smith
 Helen A. Smith
 Civitina M. Sperduto
 Catherine Spinos
 Bernadette M. Stephenson
 Phyllis Anne Stewart
 Aldona Ann Strazdas
 Mary Civita Tagliamonte
 Gloria C. Tarallo
 Mary A. Tarallo
 Vera M. Toscano
 Mabel Jean Towlson
 Winnifred Gwendolyn Trenholm
 Edna M. Truesdale

Mary Elizabeth Tsourianis
 Elizabeth Vaccari
 Frances Louise Viola
 Florence Louise Vitale
 Dorothy Elizabeth Vogt
 Rita Marie Volpicelli
 Mary Helen Walsh
 Mildred Teresea Walsh
 Dorothy Jean Welch
 Lavinia Nicoll Wilson
 Marion Ruth Wood
 Helen Louise Wright

BOYS

Paul Ambrose Abbott
 Leo F. Bachilas
 Harley Wilson Banks
 Stanley Alex Bedard
 Robert Clifford Belcher
 John E. Berra
 Joseph Anthony Bielakowski
 John George Boas
 James Boice
 James Bremis
 Baxter George Burge
 Francis Joseph Caliri
 Henry F. Camacho
 Julius F. Camacho
 Augustus S. Campbell
 Roger William Campbell
 Vincent Antonio Cannavo
 Anthony John Capobianco
 Ralph Francis Casale
 Victor M. Castagneto, Jr.
 Paul Omer Chagnon
 Bernard Eugene Ciampi
 Richard Paul Ciapponi
 William Henry Coddair, III
 David V. Colbert
 James Donald Connor
 Leo Francis Cronin
 George Frederick Cunningham, Jr.
 Lloyd Arthur Currie
 John Michael Cusolito
 Francis A. D'Accone
 John Francis Dardis
 William G. Davies
 Donald Joseph Dears
 John Batista Anthony DeBerio
 Edward Deegan
 Rigo J. Della Pasqua
 Oze Antone Desmarais, Jr.
 Bernard A. DeVellis
 Carl A. DiPietro
 Daniel Joseph Donahue
 John Kostas Drougas
 William John Duffy

Joseph Dussi	Salvatore Francis Pascuito
Alfred J. Ferrari	George C. Paskos
Francis Denis Flanagan	Walter Gil Perry
Gilbert Fooks	Arthur Petricone
George C. Galitis	Anthony John Quattrocchi
Frank Leo Gardner	Sergio Peter Querze
David Alvin Gaudet	Joseph William Ravinski
William Patrick Gilbert	Walter Joseph Reis
Edward B. Haynes	Luciano A. Rivieccio
George A. Jarmosis	Donald James Roberts
Robert Francis Joynt	Edward Warren Robillard
Diran Donald Keshian	Albert Manuel Rose
Alexander Peter Kiddie	Douglas Smith Russell
Charles Henry Kilty, Jr.	Charles Francis Ryan, Jr.
Robert Arthur Lodi	Francis F. Sabatino
Richard John Ludwig	Charles Francis Samson, Jr.
Robert Macarelli	Anthony Savini
James Anthony Macero	Frank Cosmo Sereno
Orlando Maffucci	Edwin Joseph Silva
John Joseph Mallahan	Cosmo D. Sinsarella
John Maneatis	Ralph G. Skinder
John Paul Mangan	Edward Espedito Spignese
Joseph James Manzi	Cosmo Louis Taglino
Peter A. Marazzi	Philip Henry Taylor
Nicholas George Mavropoulos	Edward Tedesco
Francis James McCarthy	Frank Teixeira
Francis Xavier McCarthy	Malcolm Irving Thompson
James William McDevitt	Thomas Alexander Tosi
Robert Eugene McKittrick	Augustus Joseph Vacaro
John Anthony Medeiros	Hugo R. Vigoroso
Earl Nelson Meehan	Robert Lewis Wagner
John Mendonza	Walter Russell Whitham
Robert Manuel Miranda	Richard Alfred Willis
Joseph John Mullins	William Matthew Winn
Luigi Ralph Olivelli	Donald Robert Wood
James Earle Paiva	Robert William Wright
Costa J. Papadimitris	

Western

GIRLS

Constance Theresa Albanese	Beverley A. Breen
Barbara Phyllis Alexander	Sylvia Jean Bruce
Beverly Louise Allen	Jean Helen Brunet
Marian Priscilla Anderson	Joan Eleanor Brunet
Jean A. Bacci	Anne Marie Bruno
Viola J. Bailey	Phyllis Anne Brown
Barbara Ann Baldwin	Barbara May Burdett
Mary Evelyn Barley	Jean Louise Burke
Jean Ruth Bell	Lois P. Butler
Priscilla Bento	Frances M. Byers
Joan R. Benway	Lauretta Mary Cahill
Mary Ann Bertelli	Joan Marie Capriulo
Phyllis Louise Blackall	Mary Grace Casparriello
Shirley Ann Bochman	Marie T. Cataldo
Grace Mary Bowman	Ethel Marie Cheek
	Barbara Ann Cheney
	Dorothy M. Chisari

Marilyn A. Chute
 Alba Cicia
 Elvira Rose Clericuzio
 Margaret Lucy Coe
 Jean Marie Connors
 Beatrice Ann Correia
 Nancy Lee Cotter
 Mary Lou Cox
 Mary V. Cronin
 Ann Virginia Cuddy
 Leone J. Culbreth
 Martha Louise Dean
 Winifred E. DeMarco
 Audrey Ethel Dennen
 Ida DeSimone
 Margaret Marie DiModica
 Nancy A. DiVirgilio
 Elizabeth Draskovich
 Patricia Marie Dufour
 Doris Elizabeth Duncan
 Teresa Dorothea Durant
 Helen Ruth England
 Ruth Marie Ernest
 Norma C. Ernst
 Bertha Margery Estabrook
 Alice Theresa Farrell
 Patricia Farfaras
 Mary C. Faria
 Rita T. Fiorentino
 Gertrude M. Finney
 Florence Louise Fleming
 Nancy E. Flett
 Dorothy Jean Fuller
 Joan Mary Gagne
 Leslie Ann Gannon
 Margaret M. Gatteny
 Elvera A. Gatto
 Jean Phyllis Gebelein
 Mary F. Gibbons
 Shirley Anne Girard
 Beatrice A. Goolkasian
 Audrey Jane Hall
 Clara M. Hannigan
 Barbara Leslie Haskell
 Ruth Mary Hassett
 Jean Teresa Helmholtz
 Harriet A. Henderson
 Ruth Theresa Henahan
 Barbara Ann Hennigan
 Dorothy H. Henrickson
 Elizabeth Patricia Hingey
 Johanne Louise Hirshon
 Doris M. Hirtle
 Dorothy Theresa Hoar
 Mabel Horan
 Frances V. Hudson
 Eileen Rose Anita Ivons
 Ann Louise Johnson
 Florence G. Johnson
 Muriel Isabelle Johnston
 Marjorie Helena Jones
 Bessie Kalliavas
 Helen G. Kalton
 Eileen Marie Kelleher
 Marilyn A. Kelson
 Barbara Helen Kelton
 Dorothea Kelton
 Marilyn Eileen Kidston
 Elizabeth E. Knights
 Lucille Eileen Lambert
 Theresa A. Langone
 Loretta Joanne Larivee
 Dorothy May Lee
 Norma M. Lemman
 Henrietta Isabel Lively
 Winona M. Lloyd
 Esther Mary Logan
 Doris J. Loomer
 Joyce Rundle MacCallum
 Janet Patricia MacDonald
 Marion Roberta MacDonald
 Shirley Mae MacEachern
 Barbara Jean MacKenzie
 Barbara A. MacLeod
 Beatrice L. MacLeod
 Myrna N. MacPhail
 Mary Ellen Madden
 Marilyn Maher
 Ruth A. Mallard
 Carmen M. C. Marios
 Doris Marzioni
 Edith Louise Mattos
 Virginia Claire McKenney
 Betty L. McLaughlin
 Dorothy M. Meadows
 Marilyn Joyce Metzler
 Ruth L. Miller
 Elaine Frances Mochi
 Marjorie F. Mowatt
 Barbara Ann Mulvey
 Helen Patricia Murphy
 Lorraine Frances Muscara
 Gertrude Ann O'Brien
 Eleanor Rose O'Mara
 Dorothy N. O'Neil
 Viola Paze
 Marilyn Doris Pearson
 Lois June Pelletier
 Barbara Ann Phillips
 Frances M. Price
 Muriel Ida Price
 Marguerite Nanette Prioli
 Audrey A. Quinn
 Angela L. Ralli
 Barbara C. Ramey
 Mary Lou Ray

Barbara D. Reed
 Rosemary Ricci
 Audrey Claire Ringland
 Ruth Elizabeth Roche
 Aune Brita Ronkanen
 Frances E. Rose
 Gerness Ann Rosenfeld
 Halina S. Rudkosky
 Betty Mae Russell
 Marjorie R. Sabbag
 Mary Carmen Sarno
 Ann Louise Sauro
 Lucille C. Schiaffino
 Patricia Audrey Schulz
 Helen Christine Sexeny
 Dorothy Simas
 Lois Marie Sinclair
 Norma Louise Smallwood
 Anita Frances Smith
 Barbara Mae Smith
 Barbara Ruth Smith
 Janice Ruth Smith
 Rose Frances Solano
 Marjorie Theresa Splaine
 Beverly Frances Steed
 Norma R. Tanzilli
 Joanne Taylor
 Joan Louise Tildsley
 Elizabeth Ann Tuff
 Patricia Ann Turner
 Doris M. Veinot
 Jennie A. Vetrano
 Georgia Alice Vratto
 Joyce Anne Wakefield
 Dorothy Mary Walsh
 Margaret Ann Walsh
 Ethel Dolores Webb
 Elizabeth F. Williams
 Marilyn Frances Wilson
 Lillian Zango
 Lorraine R. Zanon
 Enis M. Zermani

BOYS

William F. Abbott
 Albert Abrahamian
 Albert Leonard Anderson III
 James Archibald
 John M. Baird
 James E. Baratta
 Albert Bartolucci
 Arthur Joseph Benoit
 Clement Joseph Bowes
 John H. Brown
 Duncan Buchanan
 Ronald P. Buell
 George M. Cabral

Richard Francis Calnan
 Frederick H. Carson
 Joseph A. Caruso
 Joseph F. Ciavardone
 Richard Charles Coffin
 Donald N. Colbert
 Edmund W. Connolly
 Edward J. Connors
 Norbert W. Copithorne
 Arthur P. Costa
 William T. L. Coulter
 Harold F. Crouse
 Thomas James Curran
 George Walter Currier, Jr.
 Richard A. Curtin
 Clayton L. Davis, Jr.
 William Robert Davis
 Antranig Der Marderosian
 Timothy G. Dempsey, Jr.
 Patsy DeThomasis
 William L. Deyoe
 Dominic A. DiBenedetto
 Joseph S. DiMartino
 Diran K. Dohanian
 J. Robert Doherty
 Joseph Doherty
 Edmund Arthur Dondero
 Charles R. Doughty
 Arthur C. Driscoll
 John Francis Dugan
 Damon James Dustin
 Thomas Ebrecht
 Henry Einar Ekstrom
 John Albert England, Jr.
 Donald Frank Ernest
 Joseph Esdra
 Joseph Essegian
 Richard Thomas Faber
 Carl J. Ferola
 Robert E. Fitzpatrick
 Albert E. Fleming
 James Edward Fleming
 Joseph F. Flynn
 Donald E. Ford
 Donald Joseph Ford
 Alfred L. Foster
 David A. Freeman
 Edward Garjian
 Francis Eugene Gearon
 William Gedick
 James David Gilbert
 Henry R. Gilchrist
 Leonard Paul Ginepra
 Joseph T. Gippert
 David J. Gogan
 Richard B. Goodrich
 Donald J. Goodwin
 Walter F. Goodwin

Alexander Gounaris
 Gerald Charles Gowen
 Richard William Grue
 William Henry Hall
 Henry V. Hanley
 Donald B. Hardin
 Peter Haroian
 Thomas Norman Harris
 James W. Hernon
 Robert Gordon Hodges
 Calvin J. Hooper
 Paul George Hopkins
 Joseph R. Hrubí
 Vincent James Jodice
 Robert A. Johnson
 Ronald R. Johnson
 Donald R. Johnston
 Donald Raymond Jones
 John Robert Keenan
 Warren F. Kelley
 Joseph Paul Killeen
 Joseph E. Labadini
 Robert K. Larkins
 Anthony Lemos, Jr.
 Robert Letizi
 Joseph Logan
 Lawrence Logan
 Robert Arnold Lohnes
 Charles A. Lovering
 Robert Sterner Lundquist
 Robert Murry MacDonald
 Elmer M. MacKinnon
 Richard Herbert MacLeod
 John Bernard Maguire
 Ronald James Maguire
 Russell A. Mallard
 Louis J. Maniscalco
 George B. Mann
 George C. Maunder
 Paul Francis McAnneny
 Leo Philip McKenna
 Walter G. McKenna
 James Francis McManus
 Charles McMillan, Jr.
 Donald L. Miller
 Robert J. Miller

George Victor Murray, Jr.
 Leslie Eugene Newell
 Roy N. Nichols
 Robert Henry Norman
 Richard Augustine O'Connor
 Bradford Ogren
 Edwin Joseph Oley
 Richard L. O'Neil
 James I. Owen
 Anthony Peter Pagliuca
 Paul Anthony Palange
 Peter G. Pantazelos
 Eugene Bates Patterson
 Ronald G. Peñry
 Edward L. Price
 Dean Publicover
 Edward Joseph Quinlan
 Charles Ralph
 Albert A. Rapozo
 Alcide Richard
 Donald Alfred Rickards
 Michael W. Rizzo
 Richard Arthur Sandberg
 Edward A. Santoro
 Carroll Shershun
 Frank John Simas, Jr.
 Albert F. Smith
 Gordon T. Smith
 Ronald Sawin Smith
 Robert Arthur Sousa
 Neil Francis Sullivan
 George Helmer Swanson
 Richard Stephen Tacelli
 Paul P. Talmo
 Ernest Jerome Taylor, Jr.
 Robert Maynard Thorburn
 Robert B. Thumith
 Allan Trump
 Lawrence A. Turner
 Frederick John Wallace
 Patrick Francis Walsh, Jr.
 Edward Joseph Welch
 George Henry Wicks
 Robert G. Wilson
 George E. Young

Certificates for Occupational Opportunity School

GIRLS

Claire F. Conroy
 Emily Correia
 Jeanette Le Sage
 Dorothy A. Naughton
 Phyllis M. Rogers

BOYS

Raymond J. Clough
 Frank Facchini

Vincent Hurley
 Thomas E. Loud
 George J. Moore
 George O'Rourke
 Mario Silvestri
 James Benoit
 Rocco B. DeSimone
 David Aloise
 Raymond M. Moore
 Joseph P. Doherty

Table 26a—EVENING HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

The graduation exercises of the Evening High School occurred on Thursday, March 29, 1945.

Margaret LeClair Arsenault
Santina Assortato
Grace Phyllis Avery
Herbert Frank Bailey
Orrin Albert Bradbury
Louise Jeanette Carbone
Emily Loretta DiChiappari
Louise DiRocco
Lillian Therese Fahey
Norna Johnson Fairbanks
Gladys Georgenea Hodgin

Elva Christine Johnson
Joanna E. Johnson
Patricia Ruth Lane
Virginia Louise Mazzola
Marjorie Rebecca Muller
Eleanor Bertha O'Leary
John Calvin Page
Viella Mitchell Sargent
Charles Francis Titterington
Doris Mary Wells

EVENING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Francis J. Cummings
John M. Golias
Lionel Helie
Ernest Jeffery
Vincent G. Marino

Walter McCarthy
Harry E. McMahon
John A. Scullin
Verna E. Jones

Table 27—VOCATIONAL SCHOOL GRADUATES, 1945

Automobile Course

James A. Applegate
 George H. Boghigian
 Michael R. Celata
 Cosmo DiNitto
 John J. Hegarty
 Wilbur C. Lister
 Robert W. Minichiello
 Lawrence E. Reinold
 Earl C. VanAmburg

Carpentry Course

William C. Cawthron
 John E. Kauler

Electrical Course

Arthur L. Burpee
 Frank W. Carlson
 Lloyd E. Carter
 Carl Edwin Crawshaw
 Anthony Crupi
 Karl P. Essigmann
 Richard A. Finnigan

Lawrence E. McAnneny
 Joseph Anthony Rotondo
 Gerald R. Scannell
 Frederick J. Squires, Jr.
 William E. Thompson

Machine Course

Michael Anastas
 Philip W. Antonuk
 Vito Asaro
 Nicholas J. Delfino
 John Leo Gerardi
 George E. Lewis, Jr.
 Thomas D. Luccisano
 Clifton J. MacDonald
 Albert K. Mayo
 John A. Scaffiddi

Painting Course

Neil E. Hodgson

Printing Course

Wesley W. Maynard

JUNIOR VOCATIONAL SCHOOL GRADUATES, 1945**GIRLS**

Sara M. Bucca
 Eleanor M. Gosbee
 Muriel A. Logan
 Velia V. Soccorso
 Irene Staffier

Certificate

Dora F. DeVasto

BOYS

Edward H. Johns
 Ralph E. McDonald
 Herbert H. Wagner

Certificates

Francis N. Kisich
 John J. Smith
 George A. Troisi

TEACHERS IN SERVICE, DECEMBER 31, 1946

Legend

- * Leave of absence—in Armed Forces
 † Leave of absence
 ‡ Sabbatical Leave
 § Reinstated for Duration
 ¶ Assistant in Place of Person in Service
 ° Assistant for School Year

HIGH SCHOOL

Central Hill

Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
§ Harry F. Sears, Head Master, 44 Orris St., Melrose Hlds.	\$4317.68	1901
Albert H. Giroux, Vice Head Master, 319 Alewife Brook Pkwy.	4475	1923
John P. Brennan, Master, 76 Derby Street	3580	1930
Fred W. Carrier, Master, 14 Lloyd St., Winchester	3450	1915
Joseph Donahoe, Master, 6 Gibbens Street	2700	1930
John L. Hayward, Master, 242 School Street	3175	1913
John J. Hoban, Master, 29 Burnham Street	3450	1926
Edmund M. Lanigan, Master, 14 Kenwood Street	3450	1936
William W. Ohear, Master, 94 Bromfield Road	3850	1906
Charles Q. Adams, 8 Chisholm Road, Winchester	2925	1933
Inez M. Atwater, 98 Electric Avenue	2575	1923
Alice M. Austin, 63 Orchard Street, Watertown	2575	1925
Mildred A. Ayers, 4 Walter Terrace	2575	1933
Joseph E. Beaver, 176 Cabot Street, Newton	2600	1928
Ellen L. Bellamy, 17 Forest Street, Cambridge	2520	1921
* Edward J. Berra, 33 Porter Street	.....	1930
Phebe R. Boole, 21 Sacramento Street, Cambridge	2575	1922
§ Blanche S. Bradford, 163 Summer St.	1731.92	1903
Margaret A. Brown, 58 Chandler Street	2575	1934
Mary M. Brown, 58 Chandler Street	2570	1926
A. Marguerite Browne, 32 Shephard Street, Cambridge	2585	1908
Robert F. Buckley, 28 Bartlett Street	2600	1931
Gertrude Burns, 72 Pearson Road	2575	1936
Earl F. Cahalan, 67 Central Street	2525	1933
Mary E. Canavan, 50 Ocean Avenue, Salem	2575	1930
John E. Cannon, Jr., 50 Washington Street, Newton	2750	1931
Agnes M. Carven, 56 Baldwin Street, Charlestown	2575	1927
Gertrude W. Chaffin, 8 Copeland Terrace, Malden	2575	1916
Margaret Cochran, 62 Highland Avenue	2850	1921
Nathaniel A. Colbert, 30 Cambria Street	2822.50	1930
Irving P. Colman, Greenbush, Mass.	3250	1915
Marguerite Connolly, 58 Central Street	2575	1926
Julia Connor, 155 Summer Street	2300	1925
Mary M. Connor, 246 Powder House Boulevard	2192.50	1941
Walter J. Corbett, 34 Leonard Street	2327.50	1936
* Daniel J. Cotter, 22 Brantwood Road, Arlington	.....	1933
* Francis C. Crotty, 87 Avon Street	.....	1933
James P. Curtin, 11 Raymond Avenue	2550	1933
Marie B. Damery, 45 Charnwood Road	2575	1926
Louis G. DeAngelis, 34 Mason Street	2235	1938
L. Thomas DeCelles, 276 Harvard Street, Cambridge	2530	1919
Charles A. Dickerman, 163 Summer Street	3550	1925
† Mrs. Gertrude C. Dooley, 12 Bay State Avenue	2695	1926
Nettie V. Eastman, 60 Grove Street, Auburndale	2567.50	1925
Marguerite A. Ellison, 119 College Avenue	2570	1925
Anna M. Farren, 371 Broadway	2160	1939
Geraldine J. Fitzgerald, 56 Raymond Avenue	2437.50	1936
Richard Fitzpatrick, 8 Hill Street	2575	1933
Mrs. Ella B. Flagg, 92 Orchard Street	2420	1911
John E. Flynn, 48 Meacham Road	2850	1936
* Francis X. Foley, 21 Teele Avenue	.....	1933
Edward G. Giroux, 88 Josephine Avenue	2750	1931
§ Ella D. Gray, 147 Walnut Street	1731.92	1901
Elizabeth Guarnaccia, 27 Chestnut Street, Wakefield	2575	1925
Mary Hall, 9 Gloucester Street, Arlington	2427.50	1934
Wallace S. Hall, 37 Perkins Street, West Newton	2850	1919
Richard Hegarty, 17 Wolcott Road, Winchester	2600	1932
Mary A. Hickey, 95 Belmont Street	2850	1918

Teachers in Service, December 31, 1945—Continued

Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
Philip L. Holmes, 22 Jackson Road	2575	1933
Helen C. Jackson, 112 Grove Street, W. Medford	2575	1923
Viola M. Jackson, 45 Kidder Avenue	2575	1924
Anna E. Keating, 15 Mystic Lake Drive, Arlington	2575	1926
Arthur Kelleher, 8 Bigelow Street	2300	1930
Irene E. Kenney, 10 Waldo Street	2575	1923
Marie E. Kenney, 12 Waterhouse Street	2575	1926
Natalie B. King, 77 Wheatland Street	2570	1936
*Alexander Ladd, 35 Tennyson Street	.....	1933
Leo Lapidus, 80 Sutherland Road, Brookline	2600	1933
Elizabeth F. Leach, 147 Winthrop Road, Brookline	2300	1927
Mary Lima, 103 Central Street	2410	1935
Katherine T. Lombard, 112 Thurston Street	2575	1926
Thomas J. Lynch, 11 Raymond Avenue	1550	1944
Olive B. MacPherson, 367 Medford Street	2575	1933
Nancy Marquess, 333 Broadway	2135	1936
Frank Martin, 50 Church Street	2575	1933
Florence L. MacAllister, 23 Wallace Street	2575	1913
*Jane McCarthy, 22 Thorpe Street	1650	1942
Paul L. McCarthy, 86 Belmont Street	2600	1931
Virginia McCarty, 97 Morrison Avenue	2075	1941
Hugh McCusker, 35 Burton Street, Brighton	2775	1933
Mary G. McGann, 71 Eliot Road, Arlington	2572.50	1931
Robert E. McKelvey, 6 Jerome Street	2600	1929
Arthur L. McManus, 25 Browning Road	2695	1937
*Ellen M. McSweeney, 58a Preston Road	.....	1935
Forrest S. Miller, 8 Hudson Street	3250	1920
Margery Moore, 11 Summit Avenue	2575	1920
*Rita B. Moran, 42 Montrose Street	1200	1944
Arthur L. Morrissey, 17 Warner Street	2850	1923
Bernard R. Moulton, 38 Ware Street	2667.50	1928
James J. Murray, 37 Irvington Road	2800	1931
Joseph J. Nangle, 37 Follen Road, Lexington	2530	1930
Bernice O. Newborg, 9 Mount Vernon Street, Arlington	2575	1915
Mildred A. Nugent, 46 Richdale Avenue	2465	1932
Richard W. Obeare, 94 Bromfield Road	2000	1941
Helen O'Brien, 30 Barton Street	2575	1931
*Thomas F. O'Brien, 16 Prescott Street	.....	1936
John E. O'Loughlin, 51 Holyoke Road	2950	1930
Alice M. Patterson, 312 High Street, West Medford	2575	1919
Eva M. Piercy, 57 Athrop Street, Wollaston	2575	1927
Albert O. Plantinga, 46 Melrose Street, Melrose Hds.	3250	1918
Robert A. Radochia, 9 Jaques Street	2410	1936
*Mrs. Estelle C. Reyeroff, 23 Whittemore Street, Arlington	1850	1941
*Dorothy T. Rice, 231 Common Street, Watertown	.....	1930
Elizabeth W. Richards, 123 Orchard Street	2575	1923
Ilene C. Ritchie, 19 Willoughby Street	2850	1912
Francis X. Rooney, 20 Pleasant Avenue	2950	1923
Helen B. Ryan, 85 Oxford Street	2575	1918
Matthew J. Ryan, 20 Columbus Avenue	2300	1950
Louise M. Saunders, 391 Broadway	2520	1919
Caroline A. Shea, 64 Pearson Road	2382.50	1928
†Arthur N. Small, 11 Pembroke Street	2717.68	1916
Mary C. Smith, 117 Prospect Street	2547.50	1916
Margaret F. Snell, 36 College Avenue	2520	1929
Carmen Solano, 62 Highland Avenue	2575	1922
Katherine E. Stack, 29 Park Drive, Boston	2570	1934
*Harold F. Sullivan, 124 Forest Street, Winchester	.....	1933
Ruby F. Sutherland, 46a Spring Street	2575	1922
Beatrice Sweet, 23 William Street	2007.50	1942
Charles B. Sylvester, 5 Washington Avenue, Cambridge	3100	1926
Alfreda Veazie, 123 Orchard Street	2492.50	1916
†Agnes F. Viano, 186 Bedford Street, Lexington	2575	1928
*Mrs. Amy I. Webber, 49 Bartlett Avenue, Belmont	2575	1923
Joseph B. Weene, 232 School Street	2600	1933
E. Bella Weisman, 73 Gibbs Street, Brookline	2425	1921
Elizabeth M. Welch, 3 Washington Ave., Arlington Hts.	2850	1919
Mrs. Nora Whittemore, 9 Mt. Vernon Street	2542.50	1934
Annie C. Woodward, 78 Highland Avenue	2850	1906
*Mrs. Alice Y. Worthley, 388 Marlborough Street, Boston	1850	1945

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Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
Dorothy A. Wyman, 15 Powder House Terrace	2575	1931
Mrs. Mary G. Callahan, R. N., Matron, 85 Oxford Street	1900	1929
Alice Scanlon, R. N. Matron, 49 Dover Street	1870	1935
Mabel F. Kelly, Clerk, 283 Medford Street	1825	1939
Georgianna Tripp, Clerk, 56 Cherry Street	1750	1942

NORTHEASTERN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Marshall Street

John J. Norton, Master, 6 Walter Terrace	4050	1923
*Joseph M. Thornton, Vice Principal, 27 Brook Street	.....	1931
Adela L. Balch, 12 Norfolk Road, Arlington	2520	1921
*Walter F. Busam, Vice Principal, 55 Liberty Avenue	3050	1923
John P. Carty, 109 Woods Road, West Medford	2070	1942
Stephen Ciccorella, 71 Merriam Street	2400	1933
Catherine Croy, 197 Morrison Avenue	1715	1942
*Louise Dalton, 14a Norwood Avenue	1000	1945
Arthur DaPrato, 7 Jean Road, Arlington	2740	1921
*Rita J. DeLeo, 44 Tennyson Street	1550	1944
Kathryn C. Donovan, 46 Central Street	2515	1930
William A. Duffey, 279 Medford Street	1740	1942
Charles T. Durgin, 123 Highland Avenue	2550	1931
Joseph B. Fitzgerald, 97 Pennsylvania Avenue	2350	1930
Rita A. Flanagan, 99 Belmont Street	2212.50	1936
Mary J. Foley, 309 Pond Street, Jamaica Plain	2430	1930
Florence R. Gallagher, 21 Bradlee Road, Medford	2520	1918
Edmund F. Giroux, 17 Gilman Street	2475	1933
Pertie I. Gray, 391 Broadway	2410	1917
Daniel J. Griffin, 9 Harold Street	2520	1931
*Terence M. Griffin	.....	1935
Edyth M. Grimshaw, 83 Playstead Road, West Medford	2382.50	1909
Marion H. Hathaway, 18 Hall Avenue	2350	1924
John J. Hickey, 21 Amaranth Avenue, Medford	2465	1935
Robert K. Hughey, 37 Whitney Street, Saugus	2750	1925
Mrs. Helen E. Jameson, 1112 Broadway	1740	1942
Lena M. Johnson, 2 Madison Street	2245	1927
Phyllis M. Joy, 163 Summer Street	2427.50	1939
Agatha E. Kelley, 42 Rutledge Road, Belmont	2520	1930
*Mrs. Mary A. King, 100 Alpine Street	2377.50	1931
Bernard F. Koen, 18 Liberty Avenue	2300	1930
Philip J. Koen, 32 Chandler Street	1850	1942
Leo J. Lanigan, 161 Lowell Street	1960	1940
Anne M. Mahoney, 138 Highland Avenue	2410	1926
Helen J. Mahoney, 70 Hudson Street	2400	1931
Mary A. Mahoney, 70 Hudson Street	2520	1930
Alfred J. McDonald, 29 Lewis Street	2420	1930
Mrs. Katherine McDonnell, 56 Raymond Avenue	2507.50	1937
Grace A. McElhiney, 373 Medford Street	2300	1925
*M. Paul McSweeney, 39 Moreland Street	.....	1936
Mary F. Mead, 25 Monument Street, West Medford	2520	1905
Mary Monahan, 103 Belmont Street	2512.50	1932
*Mrs. Marie F. Morgan, 14 Wisconsin Avenue	2392.50	1932
*M. Virginia Murray, 47 Rogers Avenue	1200	1944
*James J. Noonan, 70 Oxford Street	.....	1934
Mary C. O'Keefe, 29 Forest Street	1625	1942
*John C. Palmer, 19 Sterling Street	.....	1934
*Wilbur E. Parker, 10 Hampshire Ave., Everett	.....	1927
Madeleine N. Parsons, 38 Harrington Street, Newtonville	2080	1931
Peter D. Peterson, 107 Pearl Street	2520	1935
Mary L. Pineo, 88 Fremont Street	2520	1935
Catherine M. Scanlan, 32 Hillsdale Road, Arlington	2410	1926
Mrs. Constance H. Scherer, 106 Richfield Road, Arlington	2080	1917
Mrs. Gladys M. Sheldon, 218 Grove Street, Melrose	2410	1919
*Wallace Sinclair, 1013 Broadway	.....	1935
*Frances M. Smith, 1063 Broadway	1200	1944
*Mrs. Dorothea F. Stevens, 101 Dean Street, Belmont	2520	1931
Veima B. Strout, 38 Francesca Avenue	2520	1918
*Daniel M. Twomey, 5 Maine Terrace	.....	1936
Florence M. Wheeler, 169 Highland Avenue	2520	1924
Alice I. Amidon, Clerk, 27 Gorham Street	1825	1926

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SOUTHERN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Vinal Avenue

Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
Raymond E. Shepherd, Master, 75 Coolidge Rd., Arlington	4050	1919
Walter W. Newcomb, Vice Principal, 27 Houston Street West Roxbury	3050	1917
H. Beatrice Bingham, 52 Pearl Street	2410	1926
Nona E. Blackwell, 42 Belmont Street	2410	1911
Edith V. Blood, 54 Pleasant Street, Medfield	2520	1921
Dorothy Bozigian, 113 College Avenue	2520	1934
*Paul L. Broderick, 31 Whitfield Road	.....	1930
Olive M. Brownell, 52 School Street	2410	1919
Helen N. Bruns, 80 Craigie Street	2110	1939
Walter A. Buckley, 39 Pearson Road	2520	1933
Eleanor D. Campbell, 126 Oakley Road, Belmont	2520	1922
Melvin T. Carver, 217 Winthrop Street, Winthrop	2570	1917
Ruth H. Conner, 379 Haverhill Street, Lawrence	2520	1921
§Mrs. Barbara S. Costigan, 46 Chetwynd Road	2200	1939
Katherine D. Crotty, 87 Avon Street	2520	1931
Anne C. Donohue, 109 Highland Avenue	2492.50	1924
Mabel H. Eady, 74 Walnut Street	2520	1922
*Raymond H. Faxon, 22 Greenleaf Road, Milton	.....	1936
Edith L. French, 41 Vinal Avenue	2410	1912
Caroline M. Frost, 6 Agassiz Street, Cambridge	2410	1920
Arthur E. Gordon, 136 Highland Avenue	2745	1918
Rita S. Harrington, 15 Bowdoin Street	1550	1944
Harriet H. Hawes, 109 Highland Avenue	2520	1927
Mrs. N. Theresa Hennessey, 155 Summer Street	2410	1909
†Virginia A. Holman, 277 Highland Avenue	1905	1940
Alice W. Jones, 2 Madison Street	2520	1925
*Ernestine Keach, 31 Lowden Avenue	.....	1936
Charles Kenney, 101 Conwell Avenue	1200	1944
Pauline Magwood, 27 Stone Avenue	2075	1942
James C. Marchant, 434 Main Street, Winchester	2325	1935
Mary J. McCarthy, 86 Belmont Street	2520	1932
James J. McGowan, 9 Maple Street, Lexington	2355	1936
John F. McMahon, 14 Sanborn Avenue	2550	1930
John J. Mitchell, 242 Somerville Avenue	2272.50	1930
James J. Mooney, 37 Bartlett Avenue, Belmont	2375	1930
Anna Murphy, 38 Lexington Avenue	2217.50	1933
Esther K. Murphy, 38 Lexington Avenue	2410	1931
John J. Murray, 61 Walnut Street	2525	1921
Mrs. Ruth A. Peck, 15 Oxford Street	1900	1941
Lila G. Perry, Beaver Brook Road, Westford	2327.50	1927
Gertrude A. Robbins, 334 Broadway	1550	1943
Herbert H. Shallies, 10 Agassiz St., Cambridge	2557.50	1923
George A. Sharkey, 20 Avon Street	2722.50	1936
Frank X. Veneri, 78 Brooks Avenue, Arlington	2520	1933
Bernard F. Walsh, 37 Ames Street	2000	1940
Evelyn E. Weston, 53 Central Street	2520	1924
Ruth C. Whittemore, 126 Curtis Street	2410	1927
†Albert C. Williamson, 29 Greene Street	2355	1936
Beatrice M. Hersom, Clerk, 158 Summer Street	1825	1924

WESTERN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Holland Street

George K. Coyne, Master, 59 Preston Road	4050	1925
Arthur J. Marchant, Vice Principal, 9 Emerson Road., Winchester	3050	1914
Alexander Austin, 11 Foster Road, Belmont	2550	1933
Benjamin Q. Belonga, 24 Jackson St., Saugus	2750	1922
Joseph Brennan, 122 Orchard Street	2550	1933
Frances L. Bullen, 25 Highland Road	2465	1928
Anthony C. Calabro, 97 Lowell Street	2520	1936
Agnes Carroll, 11 Edmands Street	1850	1942
*John W. Casey, 18 Spring Street		1933

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Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
Isobel M. Cheney, 149 Lowell Street	2520	1936
*Anna Connor, 246 Powder House Boulevard	1550	1942
James H. Cosgrove, 18 Putnam Road	2667.50	1935
*John J. Costello, 88 Yorktown Street	.....	1936
Edson E. Dewey, 457 Washington St., Winchester	2750	1927
Mrs. Clara B. Donlen, 156 Summer Street	2520	1914
Ralph E. Farnsworth, 19 Wolcott Street, Everett	2530	1913
Marcella M. Garrick, 295 Lowell Street	2520	1917
Wilson L. Geary, 1147 Adams Street, Dorchester	2550	1931
Hazel G. Gibson, 9 Longfellow Road, Cambridge	2520	1928
Catherine E. Giles, 15 Hillcroft Park, Medford	2520	1918
Claire Gorman, Cadet, 32 Walker Street	1200	1944
*John Guinee, 10 Arlington Street	1550	1942
Florence R. Haley, 17 Forest Street, Cambridge	2526	1927
Elizabeth Healey, 3 Whitfield Road	2000	1940
†Beaumont Herman, 7 Mason Street	2550	1933
†Florence M. Hopkins, 162 Broadway, Arlington	2410	1907
Thomas J. D. Horne, 23 Woodland Avenue, Melrose	2550	1921
*William Howard, 17 Chetwynd Road	.....	1936
Elena J. Ivaska, 87 Pritchard Avenue	2520	1931
Alice M. Johnson, 145 Larch Road, Cambridge	2520	1930
*Doris M. Johnson, 105 Heath Street	1200	1945
Mary Kacoyanis, 94 Ten Hills Road	1550	1945
Paul Kelley, 585 Broadway	1550	1941
John C. Kelly, 15 Whitman Street	1960	1940
Kenneth MacLoed, 78 Ossipee Road	2550	1935
Teresa Mark, 20 Grove Street	2437.50	1933
*Joseph B. McCabe, 78 North Street	.....	1931
*Francis McSweeney, 99 Moreland Street	1550	1945
Helen A. Moran, 315 Alewife Brook Parkway	2410	1913
Marion C. Moran, 42 Montrose Street	2520	1929
*Charles Murphy, 144 Summer Street	1600	1945
Marion F. Orne, 43 Fairmount Avenue	2520	1912
Marie A. Pelletier, 244 Brattle Street, Cambridge	2520	1930
†Guy T. Piro, 483 Medford Street	2000	1943
Frederick W. Pretchel, 64 Vinal Avenue	2750	1929
Miriam E. Priest, 6 Hudson Street	2410	1917
Dorothy Reynolds, 29 Russell Road	2390	1937
Eileen Ryan, 118 Highland Road	1550	1943
Isabel Sheehan, 9 Putnam Street	1915	1942
Hazel L. Smith, 19a Forest Street, Cambridge	2410	1922
Mary Swansey, 64 Powder House Blvd.	2080	1937
Rose Traniello, 3 Poplar Street	2075	1942
Robert D. Wright, 22 Burlington Street, Lexington	2520	1936

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS (DAY)

Bonair and Cross Streets

Philip J. Heffernan, Principal, 71 Maynard St., Arlington	\$3950	1918
Nehemiah E. Gillespie, 228 School Street	2950	1911
Roy R. King, 91 Central Street	2740	1918
Roy C. MacGee, 27 Dover Street, West Medford	2950	1926
John F. O'Neil, 79 Clewley Road, West Medford	2900	1926
Leo Millea, 72 Wallace Street	2850	1927
James A. Kelly, 120 Curtis Street	2950	1928
William H. Knight, 9 Preston Road	2850	1930
Arthur E. Peterson, 73 Lowell Street	2950	1930
Robert H. Dunning, 2 Dow Avenue, Arlington	2922.50	1931
Arthur L. Fleming, 114 Ten Hills Road	2950	1933
Bryant W. Patten, 92 Powder House Boulevard	2255	1942
Joseph F. Geary, 39 Maynard Street, Arlington	2950	1933
Edward J. Bergen, 193 Governors Avenue, Medford	2547.50	1934
†J. Edward Sharkey, 19 Cady Avenue	.....	1937
Christopher J. Kirk, Jr., 2 Sutherland Road, Brookline	2850	1937
Walter E. Struble, Jr., 14 Whitfield Road	2950	1937
Thomas E. DeMont, 8 Montrose Court	2730	1938

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Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
*Francis G. Parker, 532 Riverside Avenue Medford		1938
*Edward A. Guazzaloca, 78 Lowell Street	.....	1938
Thomas Scott, 32 Curtis Avenue	2730	1938
Mrs. Ethel M. Smith, Clerk, 318 Lake Street, Waltham	1825	1921

(WILLIAM H.) PRESCOTT SCHOOL

Pearl and Myrtle Streets

Grade	Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
	Wilfred H. Roberts, Master, 1 No. Gateway, Winchester	\$3750	1928
6	Elva L. Hutchins, 8 Mount Vernon Street	2350	1935
6	Harriet Marshall, 64 Queensbury Street, Boston	2300	1929
6	Mary Bridges, 21 Crocker Street	2272.50	1933
6	Mary Dalaklis, 52 Linwood Street	1550	1943
6	Marjorie H. Menard, 423 Broadway	2290	1928
5	Ruth Bridges, 21 Crocker Street	2217.50	1933
5	Leora E. Richardson, 15 Dow Street	2110	1942
5	Catherine E. Sutkus, 30 Adrian Street	2080	1934
5	Bessie Nahigian, 32 Putnam Road	1715	1942
5	Norma Morandi, 22 Austin Street	1625	1944
4	Victoria Ollila, 6 Watson Street	1850	1941
4	Elena Alberghini, 12 Lowell Street	1625	1943
3	Eleanor W. Nolan, 163 Summer Street	2300	1909
3	Helen F. DeStefano, Cadet, 31 Grant Street	1000	1945
2	Ruth M. Kelley, 250 Willow Avenue	2170	1931
2	Frances A. Welch, 921 Broadway	1550	1943
1	†Jennie Albano, 25 Highland Avenue	1550	1944
1	M. Eileen Kuhn, 11 Devereaux Street, Arlington	2287.50	1931
1	*Beatrice Buss Ahern, 163 Elm Street	1200	1946
Kgdn.	Mary L. Cannon, 104 Summer Street	1970	1929
Asst.	Catherine Hagan, 351 Washington Street	1550	1943

SANFORD HANSCOM SCHOOL

Webster and Rush Streets

	Wilfred H. Roberts, Master, 1 No. Gateway, Winchester	.....	1928
2	Florence M. Shaw, 157 Summer Street	2515	1909
4	Doris M. Donnine, 58 Chandler Street, Arlington	2277.50	1934
4	Ann O'Brien, 8 Charles Street	1790	1942
4	Anne M. Clark, 25 Columbus Avenue	1625	1942
3	Martha L. Littlefield, 163 Summer Street	2300	1897
2	Andrea Driscoll, 101 Glen Street	1625	1944
1	Marion A. Viets, 122 Dale Street, Waltham	2300	1912

CLARK BENNETT SCHOOL

Poplar and Maple Streets

	Wilfred H. Roberts, Master, 1 No. Gateway, Winchester	.....	1928
5	Mary C. Lawler, 85 Beacon Street	2462.50	1936
6	Frances G. McNally, 52 Vinal Avenue	2300	1936
4	§Mrs. Mary G. Sullivan, 209 Summer Street	1765	1942
3	Julia M. Leddy, Cadet, 162 Highland Avenue	1200	1944
2	Frances H. Shea, 95 Central Street	2292.50	1936
1	Mary T. Mahoney, 10 Skehan Street	2162.50	1927
Kgdn.	Mrs. Abigail R. Bailey, 131 St. Rose St., Jamaica Plain	2300	1924
Asst.	Louise A. Garlind, 21 Waldeck Street, Dorchester	1970	1926

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GEORGE L. BAXTER SCHOOL

Bolton Street

Grade	Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
	John J. Collins, Master, 232 Willow Avenue	.....	1930
4	Geraldine J. Chamberlain, 114 Rogers Avenue	2450	1925
5	°Mrs. Mary Picciuolo, 7 Jefferson Street, Cambridge	1200	1945
3	°Mrs. Margaret M. Fallon	1200	1945
2	Anna E. Wischmann, 21 Bowdoin Street	2257.50	1930
1	°Mrs. Margaret G. Baine, 93 Pearl Street	1200	1945
Kdgn.	Bertha M. Connor, 77 Pennsylvania Avenue	2300	1926

OREN S. KNAPP SCHOOL

Concord Avenue

	John J. Collins, Master, 232 Willow Avenue	3475	1930
6	Sue A. Fitzpatrick, 189 Summer Street	2515	1912
6	Josephine P. Hourihan, 20 Central Street	1790	1941
6	Marguerite G. Stanton, 191 Summer Street	2300	1922
5	Dorothy M. Smith, 37 Munroe Street	2297.50	1930
5	Mary Gilhooly, 156 Summer Street	1625	1942
4	Agnes C. Riley, 191 Summer Street	2300	1918
3	Helen F. Gallagher, 15 Naples Road, Brookline	2025	1923
2½	†Mrs. Mary M. Hare, 13 Fremont Avenue	1900	1944
2	°Catherine P. Killilea, 42 Gibbons Street	1060	1945
1	°Mrs. Frances S. Greenwood, 23 Fremont Street	1200	1945

ALBION A. PERRY SCHOOL

Washington Street, near Dane Street

	John J. Collins, Master, 232 Willow Avenue	.....	1930
4	Mrs. Mary A. Withington, 32 Fuller Street, Canton	2460	1910
3	Sarah Tashjian, 21 Bolton Street	2300	1932
2	Helen M. Armstrong, 104 Summer Street	2107.50	1924
1	Evelyn Bucknam, 35 Curtis Avenue	1550	1943
Kdgn.	Helen B. Hesson, 64 Horne Road, Belmont	2300	1930

CHARLES G. POPE SCHOOL

Washington and Boston Streets

	Michael B. Dewire, Master, 600 Washington Street, Brookline	.....	1929
6:5	M. Abbie Tarbett, 11 Washington Street, Stoneham	2515	1906
6	Helen K. McNally, 52 Vinal Avenue	2285	1937
5	§Mrs. Margaret Benson, 142 Highland Ave. Arlington	2235	1938
4	Agnes M. Barry, 67 Merriam Street	2300	1930
4:3	Frances M. Blute, 42 Columbus Avenue	2300	1933
3	Catherine E. Wiggins, 143 Lowell Street	2300	1925
2	°Mrs. Madeline Hewey, 45 Mason Street	1260	1945
2	Alice B. Frye, 117 Sewall Woods Road, Melrose	2300	1904
1	Elsa K. Hall, 19 Gloucester Street, Arlington	1690	1943
1	Catherine F. Brown, 25 Monument Ave., West Medford	2292.50	1937

(JOHN A.) CUMMINGS SCHOOL

School Street, near Highland Avenue

	Michael B. Dewire, Master, 600 Washington Street, Brookline	.....	1929
4	Margaret J. Collins, 35 Meacham Road	2465	1926
6	Lois Wilbur, 24 Gibbens Street	2300	1923
5	§Mrs. E. Marion White, 37 Morrison Avenue	2185	1937
3	Margaret F. McCarthy, 35 Simpson Avenue	1790	1943
2	Mary E. Hughes, 24 Rogers Avenue	2285	1933
2	Helen Crine, 32 Russell Road	1556	1943
1	Mary M. Healey, 83 Bow Road, Belmont	2300	1929
Kdgn.	Mabell M. Sheehan, 49 Avon Street	2135	1930

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(JOHN G.) EDGERLY SCHOOL

Otis and Cross Streets

Grade	Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
	Joseph A. Regan, Master, 42 Stone Avenue	.....	1929
3	Alice M. MacFarland, 62 Spruce Street, Watertown	2515	1923
3	Mary L. O'Neill, 36 Hudson Street	2287.50	1936
2	Margaret F. Driscoll, 101 Glen Street	2127.50	1936
2	Mary V. Devine, 47 Houghton Street	2300	1929
1	Julia A. Arata, 32 Wilton Street	2300	1930
1	Mary A. Albano, 25 Highland Avenue	2292.50	1937
Kdgn.	Gertrude E. Prichard, 38 Benton Road	2295	1929
Asst.	Eleanor R. Walker, 26 Warren Avenue	1640	1941

(JACOB T.) GLINES SCHOOL

Jaques Street, near Grant Street

	Joseph A. Regan, Master, 42 Stone Avenue	3650	1929
6	Helen G. Kane, 123 Highland Avenue	2515	1932
6	*Robert Healey, Cadet, 6 Conwell Street	.....	1940
6	Mary Macero, Cadet, 192 Washington Street	1090	1945
5	Leis E. Banks, 15 Hawthorne Street	2267.50	1936
5	Ruth Herlihy, 37 Banks Street	2272.50	1932
4	Eleanor Mitrano, 59 Webcowet Road, Arlington	2120	1932
4	Rose F. Willwerth, 7 Oxford Street	2075	1940
3	Phylomena Buccelli, 71 Bonair Street	2300	1936
3	Phyllis Angelo, 64 Fremont Street	1765	1943
2	Doris E. Clark, 94 Broadway	1950	1942
2	Rita Ahern, 62 Curtis Street	1790	1943
1	Mary J. McEachern, 14 Sanborn Avenue	2300	1929
1	Laurette Waters, 243 Summer Street	1715	1942
Kdgn.	Ida M. Kane, 383 Broadway	2025	1905
Asst.	*Mrs. Doris C. McNicholas, 37 Banks Street	1715	1940

CHARLES A. GRIMMONS SCHOOL

Shore Drive

	Joseph A. Regan, Master, 42 Stone Avenue	.....	1929
1	Anna M. Dee, 10 Bromfield Road	2465	1928
6	Mary A. Ahern, 62 Curtis Street	2300	1928
5	Marion C. Drew, Cadet, 22 Sewall Street	1000	1945
4	Eleanor E. Aiken, 37 Burnham Street	1764	1943
3	Margaret Sliney, 88 Glen Street	2300	1928
2	Catherine O'Connor, 40 Adrian Street	1765	1942
Kdgn.	*Mrs. Jeanne H. Dinand, 95 Thurston Street	2240	1931

(CHARLES) FORSTER SCHOOL

Sycamore Street and Evergreen Avenue

	Joseph S. Hawthorne, Master, Lowell Road, Concord	.....	1915
6	Bessie J. Baker, 19 Mills Street, Malden	2515	1905
6	Hazel C. Wellington, 71 Oxford Street	2300	1924
5	Irene Allen, 391 Broadway	2300	1931
5	Helen Capuano, 2 Williams Court	2300	1933
5	Mrs. Monira G. Blodgett, 8 Teele Avenue	2300	1921
5	Gladys M. Wellington, 71 Oxford Street	2300	1925
4	Lillian J. Rollins, 230 Pearl Street	2300	1925
4	Jane A. Doyle, 80 Hinkley Street	2300	1925
4	Pauline Scully, 59 Preston Road	2300	1929
3	Florence V. English, 83 Glenburn Road, Arlington	2300	1925
3	Frances H. Allen, 391 Broadway	2292.50	1936
3	Mrs. Helen M. Mason, 36 College Avenue	2290	1936
2	Mary A. Clark, 25 Columbus Avenue	1790	1942

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Grade	Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
2	Ann Laffin, 22 Lowden Avenue	2272.50	1939
2	Elsie Capone, 309 Lawrence Road, Medford	2300	1934
1	Margaret Buckley 17 Mt. Vernon Street	1550	1945
1	Anna E. Rachdorf, 106 Bromfield Road	2107.50	1937
1	Mary L. McKenna, 119 College Avenue	2300	1915
Kdgn.	Esther D. Hamilton, 28 Dearborn Road	2300	1924
Asst.	Helen Sharry, 15 Putnam Street	1550	1943

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Bonair and Cross Streets

Philip J. Heffernan, 71 Maynard Street, Arlington		1918
H. Dunbar Davis, 15 Bay State Avenue	2750	1922
Robert E. Ball, Jr., 43 Porter Street	2537.50	1938
Mrs. Ruth S. Richmond, 6 Sherborn Court	2410	1923
Sarah L. Wolfe, 96 Glenburn Road, Arlington	2520	1922

(NORMAN W.) BINGHAM SCHOOL

Lowell Street, near Vernon Street

Joseph S. Hawthorne, Master, Lowell Road, Concrdr	3750	1915
4 Anna R. Canfield, 205 Cedar Street	2515	1914
6 Anna G. Molloy, 520 High Street, West Medford	2300	1921
6 Regina Pimentel, 153 Lowell Street	1765	1941
5 Helen F. Wiseman, 51 Prentiss Street, Cambridge	2300	1932
5 Julia M. Riordan, 165 Albion Street	2300	1914
4 Alice E. Griffiths, 39 Ames Street	2300	1920
3 Mrs. Elizabeth D. Callanan, 14a Norwood Ave.	1970	1944
3 Philomena C. Lombardi, 8 Mt. Pleasant Street	2300	1929
2 Frances E. Fisher, 215 Eastern Avenue, East Lynn	2300	1921
2 Gertrude M. Dewire, 399 Washington Street	2300	1925
1 Mary T. Maguire, 432 Medford Street	2217.50	1929
1 Loretta M. Tansey, 108 Bromfield Road	2300	1928
Kdgn. Marguerite M. Driscoll, 20 Benton Road	2300	1921
Asst. Claire M. O'Brien, 59 Boston Street	1715	1941

MARTIN W. CARR SCHOOL

Atherton Street

Michael B. Dewire, Master, 600 Washington Street, Brookline	3750	1929
6 Eva S. Bent, 10 Steeves Circle	2515	1915
6 Dorothy L. Lundgren, 93 Lowden Avenue	2300	1915
5 Mrs. Hazel F. Quinn, 157 Summer Street	2025	1915
5 Margaret M. Brennan, 15 Waldo Street	2300	1917
5 Mrs. Rita Collins, 366 Lowell Street	1850	1941
4 Helen Hession, 57 Alpine Street, Arlington Heights	2300	1924
4:3 Alice M. Cumming, 117 School Street	2300	1917
3 Bessie I. Berry, 11 Oak Terrace, Malden	2300	1915
2 Mary E. Flanley, 4 Avon Street, Wakefield	2300	1915
2 Mildred L. Shanahan, 68 Avon Street	2232.50	1933
1 Eleanor Rose, 149 Lowell Street	1625	1942
1 Margaret Morgan, 123 Highland Avenue	1970	1931
Kdgn. Mabel R. Ingham, 62 Central Street	2300	1912
Asst. Elinor M. Sullivan, 345 Washington Street	1970	1936

Teachers in Service, December 31, 1945—Continued

(ENOCH R.) MORSE SCHOOL

Summer and Craigie Streets

Grade	Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
	John W. Healey, Master, 214 Powder House Blvd.	.....	1931
2	Eleanor M. Shanahan, 38 Benton Road	2505	1934
6	Eunice M. Lanigan, 161 Lowell Street	1925	1942
5	Mrs. Maybeth J. Folwell, 155 Summer Street	1960	1941
4	Helen T. Laddy, 162 Highland Avenue	1840	1941
4	Mary T. Crotty, 17½ Vinal Avenue	1970	1936
3	Eileen Knight, 9 Preston Road	1550	1945
3	Agnes C. O'Brien, 16 Prescott Street	2050	1941
2	Isabel M. Leyden, 3 Langdon Street, Cambridge	2300	1933
1	§Mrs. Thelma B. Sheehan, 33 Gordon Street	1400	1944
1	Ruth G. Harrington, 1 Carver Street	2300	1930
Kdgn.	Mildred D. Williston, 26 Warren Avenue	2295	1934
Asst.	Margaret Walsh, 37 Oak Street	1550	1942

GEORGE O. PROCTOR SCHOOL

Hudson Street

	Joseph S. Hawthorne, Master, Lowell Road, Concord	.....	1915
6	Winifred I. Macdonald, 47½ Beacon Street, Boston	2465	1917
5	Anne B. Mullin, 140 Medford Street, Arlington	2300	1930
4	Ruth E. Andrews, 123 Highland Avenue	2300	1917
3	Mary E. McCarthy, 101 Central Street	2300	1926
2	Cecilia A. Sheehan, 49 Aven Street	2135	1933
1	Mrs. Ethel M. Ziegel, 8 Foskett Street	2190	1934

GEORGE W. DURELL SCHOOL

Beacon and Kent Streets

	John J. Collins, Master, 25 Hall Street	.....	1930
4	Grace E. Packard, 14 Winslow Road, Belmont	2460	1912
3	Mary A. Dewire, 48 Central Street	2127.50	1939
2	Mary M. Sharry, Cadet, 27 Summit Avenue	1200	1944
1	Marjorie E. Kincaid, 86 Bromfield Road	1975	1942

MARK F. BURNS SCHOOL

Cherry Street, near Highland Avenue

	John W. Healey, Master, 214 Powder House Blvd.	.....	1931
3	Ethel F. Morang, 16 Curtis Avenue	2465	1920
4	*Mrs. Elinor B. Smith, 388 Broadway	1200	1944
4	M. Constance MacDonald, 74 Belmont Street	1840	1941
3:2	Mrs. Frances E. Savage, 303 Highland Avenue	2300	1903
2	Josephine Lacy, 64 Vinal Avenue	2300	1921
1	Marjorie E. Drew, 38 Linnaean Street, Cambridge	2300	1927
1	V. Maria DelTorto, 275 Highland Avenue	1550	1943

BENJAMIN G. BROWN SCHOOL

Willow and Josephine Avenues

	John W. Healey, Master, 214 Powder House Blvd.	3600	1931
6	Gertrude E. Macdonald, 50 Bromfield Road	2515	1926
6	Mrs. Clare M. Stanton, 754 Broadway	1970	1937
5	Mrs. Gertrude T. McNamara, 103 Summer Street	1970	1940
4	Mrs. Frances H. Aylward, 34 Dunster Rd. Jamaica Plain	1550	1945
3	Helen M. Lawrence, 433a Broadway	2300	1923
2	Carol P. Mullaney, Cadet, 49 Vinal Avenue	1200	1944

Teachers in Service, December 31, 1945—Continued

	Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
2	Anna L. McCarthy, 51 Liberty Avenue	2190	1930
1	Anne E. Waters, 243 Summer Street	2000	1940
1	Olivia H. Norcross, 11 Shawsheen Ave., Wilmington	2300	1914
Edgn.	Elizabeth V. Colbert, 1572 Mass. Ave., Cambridge	2270	1933
Asst.	Rita P. McNamara, 53 Dartmouth Street	2015	1937

HERBERT CHOLERTON SCHOOL

Highland Avenue and Grove Street

	Edward L. Smith, Master, 10 Francis Street	.....	1930
6	Marion Allen, 14 Billingham Street	2185	1911
6	Margaret McLeod, 20 Grove Street	2300	1923
6	Eileen M. Lynch, 184 Summer Street	1000	1945
5	Mrs. Grace M. Wolter, 114 Belmont Street	2300	1933
5	Anne M. Doherty, 49 Electric Avenue	2300	1933
5	Carolyn E. Crockett, 38 Day Street	2300	1923
Kdgn.	Mrs. Dorothy C. Huddy, 16a Forest St., Cambridge	2300	1921
Asst.	Lucille K. Moseley, 14 Electric Avenue	1600	1942

(WILLIAM H.) HODGKINS SCHOOL

Holland Street

	Edward L. Smith, Master, 10 Francis Street	.....	1930
4	Olevia M. Woods, 13 Garrison Avenue	1456.92	1908
6	Helen B. Busher, 33 Bromfield Road	1625	1943
6:5	Edith M. Murchie, 3 Lincoln Street	2292.50	1937
5	Mrs. Eileen K. Hartwell, 101 Conwell Avenue	1900	1944
4	Helen M. Merry, 12 Summit Street	2297.50	1936
3	Gertrude O. Kohler, 24a Jackson Road	2300	1931
3	Isabelle G. Porter, 36 College Avenue	2190	1928
2	Mary M. Diskin, 33 Lexington Avenue	2217.50	1938
2	Abbie M. Brown, 154 Morrison Avenue	2300	1923
1	Mary C. Sweeney, 18 Alpine Street	2285	1938
1	Ruth Sproul, 155 Summer Street	1550	1942
Kdgn.	Mrs. Alice B. Seabrook, 351 Washington Street	2135	1933
Asst.	Marion R. Pugh, 46 Glen Street	1640	1943

S. NEWTON CUTLER SCHOOL

Powder House Boulevard, near Raymond Avenue

	Edward L. Smith, Master, 10 Francis Street	3750	1930
6	Bernice J. Andrews, 24 Hamilton Road	2515	1914
6	Mrs. Minnie E. Lougee, Moorland Road, Scituate	2300	1922
6	Gladys R. Clark, Lowell Road, Concord	2300	1926
5	Alice A. Libbey, 32 Paulina Street	2300	1919
5	Eugenia Carver, 119 College Avenue	2300	1922
5	Stella G. Bucknam, 35 Curtis Avenue	2300	1917
4	Mary R. Egan, 22 Aberdeen Road	2245	1933
4	Mildred H. Lunt, 119 College Avenue	2300	1926
4	Eliza I. Patterson, 59 Ossipee Road	2300	1919
3	Mrs. Mary D. Manning, 125 West Adams Street	1500	1945
3	Alice E. Campbell, 6 Revere Street, Arlington	2300	1928
3	E. Mildred Milner, 119 College Avenue	2300	1920
2	Alice J. McNally, 52 Vinal Avenue	1740	1942
2	Evelyn G. Stern, 4 Billingham Street	2300	1928
2	Pauline Emery, 76 College Avenue	2300	1925
1	*Muriel P. King, 37 Wheatland Street	2200	1931
1	Mildred M. Lougee, Mt. Pleasant St., Marblehead	2300	1928
1	Mildred Bulnitsky, 54 Farragut Avenue	2117.50	1940
1	Eleanor E. Waldron, 135 Powder House Boulevard	2300	1919
1	Nora F. Keniry, 110 West Quincy Street	1700	1941
Kdgn.	Mrs. Dorothea G. Lamb, 55 Ossipee Road	2300	1921
Asst.	Katherine R. Austin, 34 Ware Street	1000	1945

Teachers in Service, December 31, 1945—Continued

MARTHA PERRY LOWE SCHOOL

Morrison Avenue near Grove Street

Grade	Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
	John W. Healey, Master, 214 Powder House Blvd.	.....	1931
4	Marion A. Cannon, 16 James Street	2450	1928
4	Mrs. Katherine D. Millen, 108 Powder House Blvd.	2300	1920
3	Clare A. Stanton, Cadet, 754 Broadway	1000	1945
3:2	Elizabeth M. Sliney, 19 Garden Street, Cambridge	2300	1925
2	Ruth Brooks, 17 Cedar Street	1715	1943
1	Selena G. Wilson, 11 Irving Street	1970	1922
1	Helen J. Dervan, 75 Crest Avenue, Winthrop	2217.50	1923

EVENING SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

	Per Evening
John F. McMahon, High and Elementary	\$7.50
†Gertrude C. Dooley, Practical Arts for Women	6.00

CADETS

*Robert Healey	6 Conwell Street
Claire Gorman	32 Walker Street
Carol Mullaney	49 Vinal Avenue
Mary Margaret Sharry	27 Summit Avenue
Julia M. Leddy	162 Highland Avenue
Clare A. Stanton	754 Broadway
Marion C. Drew	22 Sewall Street
Mary Macero	192 Washington Street
Helen F. DeStefano	31 Grant Street

SUPERVISORS AND SPECIAL TEACHERS

ELEMENTARY SUPERVISOR

William J. Crotty, 52 Highland Road	4050	1926
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MUSIC

	§Bart E. Grady, 35 Sagamore Avenue, West Medford	3068.12	1935
12-7	James M. Clark, 60 Irving Street	2530	1929
6-1	Arthur F. Sullivan, 119 West Adams Street	2750	1934

ART

9-1	Mrs. Elsie M. Guthrie, 50 Bromfield Road	2650	1919
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PENMANSHIP

6-1	Ruth L. Whitehouse, 123 Highland Avenue	2520	1915
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SEWING

6-5	Mary Rhilinger, 48 Prince Street, Jamaica Plain	1975	1926
6-5	Pia M. Fortini, 274 Willow Avenue	2200	1930
6-5	Alice C. Sullivan, 74 Ossipee Road	2000	1930

MANUAL ARTS

Melvin T. Carver, Supervisor, 247 Winthrop Street, Winthrop	440	1936
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Teachers in Service, December 31, 1945—Continued

Grade	Name and Residence	Salary	Began Service
ATHLETICS			
	Charles A. Dickerman, Director, 163 Summer Street	3550	1925
PHYSICAL INSTRUCTION			
9-1	John J. St. Angelo, 4 Dickson Street	3350	1928
ATYPICAL			
	Edward M. McCarty, Personnel, 48 Upland Road	2557.50	1939
	Winifred M. Ford, Educational Tester, 83 Pearson Rd.	2350	1927
	§Mrs. Nicoletta Giacobbe, 12 Minnesota Avenue	2000	1942
	Irma Di Giusto, 19 Flint Street	2350	1934
	Ursula H. Cairns, Main Street, South Hanson	2240	1934
	Dorothy M. Leighton, 148 Lovell Road, Watertown	2350	1936
	§Mrs. Margaret E. Sullivan, 22 Pennsylvania Avenue	2350	1936
	Margaret E. Connors, 5 Sherborn Court	2350	1936
	*James Keefe, 31a Trull Street	.....	1938
	Gasperina Messina, 49 Pennsylvania Avenue	1790	1942
	*Marion E. Blanchard, 33 Gordon Street	.....	1942
	Mary F. Clifford, 125 Berkeley Street, Lawrence	1925	1942
	A. Teresa Diotaiuti, 170 Lowell Street	2075	1942
	¶Amy F. Woodbury, 18 Westminster Street	1400	1943
SIGHT SAVING			
	Alice M. Hayes, 181 Central Street	2350	1913
LIP READING			
	Grace A. Foley, 2 Kenwood Street	2512.50	1937
THRIFT			
	E. Bella Weisman, 78 Gibbs Street, Brookline	2425	1921
	Eva Palmer, Assistant, 24 Austin Street	1210	1930
FIELD MUSIC			
	Bart E. Grady, Jr., 35 Sagamore Ave., West Medford	1550	1945
AMERICANIZATION			
	Mary A. Whitney, Supervisor, 10 Dow Street	2650	1916
PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED			
	Mrs. Blanche G. Crowell, 82 Bromfield Road	2300	1923
	Mary E. Miller, 16 MacArthur Street	2052.50	1936
AUDIOMETER			
	Margaret Crowley, 29 High Street	2300	1933

Teachers in Service, December 31, 1945—Continued

SUPERINTENDENT AND SECRETARY

Everett W. Ireland, 97 College Avenue	\$7120
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ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

Leo C. Donahue, 383 Broadway	\$4870
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CLERKS

Mary A. Clark, 156 Summer Street	\$2100
Marion E. Marshall, 30 Gilman Street	2100
Regina Truelson, 38 Rogers Avenue	1950
Margaret R. O'Connor, 2 Adrian Street	1825
Frances C. Geaton, 29 Tennyson Street	1825
Virginia V. Hender, 202 School Street	1150

SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

James G. Hourihan, 225 Powder House Boulevard	\$2650
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VISITING TEACHER

Estelle M. Walsh, 12 Wendell Street, Cambridge	2300
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SCHOOL CUSTODIANS, DECEMBER, 1945

School	Name	Residence	Weekly Salary
High	Frank Quirk	166 Broadway	\$39.80
High	George A. Sullivan	275 Medford St.	37.70
High	John F. Mack	120 Summer St.	39.80
High	Andrew J. Curran	11 Pleasant Ave.	39.80
High	Edward J. Barbour	109 Pennsylvania Ave.	39.80
High	Patrick Delmore	3 Harvard Place	44.10
High, Gymnasium	Jeremiah Sullivan	1091 Broadway	44.10
High, Central			
Heating Plant	Martin J. Frazer	95 Heath St.	49.67
High, Central			
Heating Plant	Peter McNally	23 Everett Ave.	42.95
High, Central			
Heating Plant	Michael P. Harrington	7 Lee St.	42.95
High, Central			
Heating Plant	Thomas Fitzgerald	73 Marion St.	42.95
Prescott	Jeremiah O'Connor	43 Pennsylvania Ave.	41.90
Prescott	Thomas R. Mullin	13 Fremont Ave.	32.00
Hanscom	Richard Sullivan	64a Gordon St.	41.90
Bennett	Edwin C. Lamkin	17 Grand View Ave.	42.95
Baxter	George M. Caley	201 Morrison Ave.	39.89
Knapp	Maurice T. Mullins	13 Fremont Ave.	44.08
Perry	George Kelley	10 Nevada Ave.	39.80
Pope	William W. Kennedy	508 Broadway	40.85
Southern Jr. High	Temporary		
Southern Jr. High	Bartholomew Cronin	23 Summit Ave.	33.60
Southern Jr. High	John T. Donovan	9 Hillside Park	39.80
Southern Jr. High	James E. Dowd	66 Hudson St.	39.80
Cummings	Thomas Murphy	52 Garrison Ave.	37.00
New Vocational	William J. Hickey	7 Aberdeen Rd.	40.33
New Vocational	John F. Fonseca	43 Garrison Ave.	39.80
New Vocational	Elmer Carleton	67 Electric Ave.	42.95
Glines	John P. Driscoll	44 Montrose St.	44.00
Glines	Francis Gormley	32 Sewall St.	33.60
Grimmons	Earl B. March	121 Ten Hills Rd.	44.00
Northeastern			
Jr. High	*George W. McGray	131 Walnut St.	32.00
Northeastern			
Jr. High	John F. O'Connell	32 Foskett St.	39.80
Northeastern			
Jr. High	George E. Babin	33 Vernon St.	42.95
Northeastern			
Jr. High	George T. Pickett	25 Fenwick St.	37.70
Northeastern			
Jr. High	†Thomas J. Driscoll	89 School St.	32.00
Forster	Hugh F. McQuaid	139 Walnut St.	33.60
Forster Annex	Arthur F. Law	71 Park St.	41.90
Bingham	Bernard J. Kelley	230 Broadway	44.10
Carr	Joseph F. Kelley	84 Rogers Ave.	35.60
Morse	Joseph Binari	48 Lowell St.	43.48
Proctor	Edmund Dardis	15 Waldo Ave.	37.70
Durell	Francis J. Donovan	3 Harvard Place	39.80
Burns	Anthony Liberatore	95 Jaques St.	39.80
Brown	William Anderson	36 Rhode Island Ave.	39.80
Cholerton	William McLane	25 Clark St.	42.95
Hodgkins	Cornelius Collins	49 Woods Ave.	33.60
Western Jr. High	Wilfred J. Secord	18 Acadia Park	44.10
Western Jr. High	Thomas Copithorne	23 Gordon St.	39.80
Western Jr. High	John J. Irving	10 Sterling St.	39.80
Western Jr. High	Temporary		
Cutler	Thurston W. Buchan	22 Richdale Ave.	39.80
Cutler	Antonio Severino	53 Sunset Rd.	32.00
Lowe	Walter M. Burns	23 Avon St.	39.80

† Military Substitute

* Leave of Absence

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

CITY HALL, SOMERVILLE, MASS.

January 2, 1946

To His Honor the Mayor and the
Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:

We respectfully submit the following as the Sixty-eighth Annual Report of the Board of Health in which is presented a statement tabulated and otherwise, of the sanitary condition of the city, and the business of the Board for the year ending December 31, 1945.

NUISANCES

A record of the nuisances abated during the year, in compliance with notices issued by the Board, or under the Board's jurisdiction, is presented below:

Complaints received during 1945	774
First notices sent	156
Second notices sent	11
Total notices sent	167

Annually the yards and alleyways of the city are examined and the owners of the property where unsanitary conditions exist are required to remedy the same.

RECORDS OF LICENSES AND PERMITS ISSUED

GOATS — Two applications were received for permits to keep five goats, which were granted. The fee is one dollar for each goat.

HENS — No permits were required to keep hens during the war.

GREASE — Twelve applications were received for permits to collect grease which were granted. The fee is two dollars for each truck.

MELTING AND RENDERING — Four licenses have been granted to carry on the business of melting and rendering for which a fee of \$1.00 is charged.

MASSAGE — Eighteen persons have been licensed to practice massage in this city. A fee of one dollar was received for each license.

BOTTLING CARBONATED BEVERAGES — Four persons were granted permits to engage in the business of bottling carbonated beverages, soda waters, and mineral and spring water. A fee of twenty dollars is charged in each case, ten dollars of which is paid to the State.

SALE OF ALCOHOL — Ten persons have been licensed to sell methyl alcohol in this city. A fee of one dollar is charged for each license.

BOARD INFANTS — Eleven applications having been made to the State Department of Public Welfare for licenses to care for children in this city, were referred to this board and under provisions of Chapter 119 of the General Laws, all were approved.

TRANSPORT GARBAGE—Three permits were granted to transport garbage through the city, under the provisions of Chapter 111, of the General Laws, by the Board of Health.

MORTALITY

There were 870 deaths and 38 stillbirths in the city during the year, as specified in the following table:

Deaths at Central Hospital	54
Deaths at Somerville Hospital	184
Deaths at Hospital for Contagious Diseases	2
Deaths at Home for Aged Poor (Highland Avenue	38
Deaths at City Home	5
Deaths at Other Institutions	77

DEATHS BY AGES

	Male	Female	Total
Under One	19	9	28
One to Two	0	0	0
Two to Three	1	0	1
Three to Five	3	0	3
Five to Ten	1	1	2
Ten to Fifteen	2	1	3
Fifteen to Twenty	0	4	4
Twenty to Thirty	2	6	8
Thirty to Forty	14	21	35
Forty to Fifty	27	20	47
Fifty to Sixty	75	45	120
Sixty to Seventy	93	87	180
Seventy to Eighty	112	134	246
Eighty to Ninety	69	101	170
Ninety and Over	6	17	23
Totals	424	446	870

MORTALITY IN SOMERVILLE IN 1945—Continued

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
VII. Diseases of the Circulatory System													
91 Acute endocarditis								1		3			4
92a Chronic endocarditis	3			1									4
92d Diseases of other and unspecified valves	1	1	1				3				3		9
93a Acute Myocarditis	1			2						1	1		5
93d Chronic Myocarditis	14	8	10	13	9	15	4	8	12	6	16	11	126
93e Other Myocarditis	1		1	7	5	2	2	2		3	1	1	25
94a Diseases of the Coronary Arteries	22	8	6	11	6	6	4	10	6	7	9	13	108
95 Other Diseases of the Heart	4	5	10	8	4	5	3	6	4	6	4	8	67
97 Arteriosclerosis	9	9	4	7		6	7	4	5	5	5	8	71
98 Gangrene					1	1						1	3
VIII. Diseases of the Respiratory System													
106a Acute bronchitis											1	1	2
107 Broncho pneumonia	4	2	3	4	3	2	2	4		2	8	7	41
108 Lobar pneumonia		1	1	1				1	1	1	1		7
111 Hemorrhagic infarction, thrombosis, edema, and chronic congestion of the lungs	4	3	2	3	2	2	2	1	5	3	2	2	31
114 Other diseases of the respiratory system				1									1
IX. Diseases of the Digestive System													
117a Ulcer of the Stomach								1			1		2
118 Other diseases of the stomach						1	1						2
119 Diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years of age) ..						1							1
120 Diarrhea and enteritis (over 2 years of age)												1	1
122a Hernia							1				1		2
122b Intestinal Obstruction...							1			1	1	1	4
123 Other diseases of the intestines										1			1
124 Cirrhosis of the Liver....							1	1				2	4
126 Biliary calculi												1	1
127 Other diseases of the gall bladder and biliary ducts	1									1		1	3
129 Peritonitis	1				1								2

MORTALITY IN SOMERVILLE IN 1945—Continued

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
X. Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System													
130 Acute Nephritis				1	2				1				4
131 Chronic Nephritis		1		1	2		1	4					9
132 Nephritis unspecified	4			1		2			2				9
133 Other diseases of the kidneys and ureters				1	2								3
XI. Diseases of Pregnancy, Childbirth and the Puerperium													
144a Eclampsia of Pregnancy				1									1
148 Puerperal toxemias	1												1
XII. Diseases of the Skin and Cellular Tissue													
XIII. Diseases of the Bones and Organs of Movement													
XIV. Congenital Malformations													
157b Spina bifidia and meningocele								1					1
157c Anencephalus			1										1
157e Congenital malformations of the heart				1		1							2
XV. Diseases Peculiar to the First Year of Life													
159 Premature Birth	1			1		2	1	1			3	1	10
160 Injury at birth				1			1						2
161 Other diseases peculiar to the first year of life...										1			1

MORTALITY IN SOMERVILLE IN 1945—Concluded

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
XVI. Senility													
162 Senility			1										1
XVII. Violent or Accidental Deaths													
163 Suicide by poisoning					1						1		2
164a Suicide by hanging			2				1		1				4
169 Railway Accidents					1				1			1	3
170 Motor Vehicle Accidents					1	1			2	1		1	6
171 Street car accidents											1		1
178 Accidental absorption of poisonous gas		1											1
180 Conflagration			1										1
181 Accidental Burns									1				1
182 Accidental mechanical suffocation	1					1							2
186a Accidental Fall	2	1	2		1	2		1		3	3	3	18
186b Injury by crushing						1							1
193 Accidents due to elec- tric currents			1										1
XVIII. Ill-Defined and Un- known Causes													
200 Ill-defined and un- known causes				1									1
Totals	101	56	69	85	70	71	61	65	68	61	80	93	870

TOTAL DEATHS DURING THE LAST TEN YEARS

Year	No. of Deaths	Rate per 1,000
1936	965	9.58
1937	899	8.92
1938	968	9.61
1939	938	9.31
1940	885	8.78
1941	872	8.53
1942	833	8.14
1943	952	9.31
1944	894	8.73
1945	870	8.50
Average death rate per 1,000 for ten years		8.94

TABLE SHOWING THE FIVE PRINCIPAL CAUSES OF DEATHS
IN SOMERVILLE IN 1945

HEART DISEASE.		CANCER ALL FORMS.		APOPLEXY.		ARTERIO SCLEROSIS.		PNEUMONIA ALL FORMS.	
Number of Deaths.	Percentage per 10,000 of Pop.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage per 10,000 of Pop.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage per 10,000 of Pop.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage per 10,000 of Pop.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage per 10,000 of Pop.
458	44.8	111	10.9	108	10.6	71	6.9	48	4.8

Table Showing comparisons Between 1944 and 1945 in Prevalence, Deaths and Percentage of Deaths of Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Typhoid Fever and Tuberculosis.

YEAR.	SCARLET FEVER.			DIPHTHERIA.			TYPHOID FEVER.			TUBERCULOSIS ALL FORMS.		
	Cases Reported.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths.	Cases Reported.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths.	Cases Reported.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths.	Cases Reported.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths.
1944.....	384	1	0.26	47	0	0	0	0	0	74	9	12.16
1945.....	267	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	76	10	13.15

DISEASES DANGEROUS TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH

This board has adjudged that the diseases known as actinomycosis, anterior poliomyelitis, anthrax, Asiatic cholera, epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis, chicken pox, diphtheria, dog bite, dysentery, encephalitis (infectious) German measles, glanders, hookworm disease, infectious diseases of the eye, leprosy, malaria, measles, mumps, paratyphoid fever, pellagra, plague, pneumonia (lobar only), rabies, scarlet fever, septic sore throat, small pox, tetanus, trichinosis, tuberculosis (all forms), typhoid fever, tularemia, whooping cough, yellow fever, are infectious and dangerous to the public health and safety within the meaning of the statutes. Physicians are required to report immediately to the board every case of either of these diseases coming under their care and postal cards conveniently printed and addressed are supplied to them for the purpose. On receipt of a card from a physician the principal of the school in the district in which the patient resides and the State Department of Health are notified.

SPECIMENS AND SUPPLIES

Outfits for specimens to be examined for tuberculosis, diphtheria and typhoid fever, vaccine lymph and nitrate of silver solution may be obtained at the following places, and all supplies may be obtained at the office of the Board of Health City Hall, and the Contagious Hospital, 1323 Broadway.

George R. Reed & Son, Inc., Hobbs Building, Davis Sq:
Ernest M. Vose, 310 Broadway
Union Square Pharmacy, 23 Union Square
McClure's Pharmacy, Magoun Square

Physicians desiring reports on the following day, must deposit specimens at the City Hall, in the receptacle provided, before 9 P. M.

Results of all examinations of specimens received at the City Hall prior to 9 P. M., will be reported to the physicians on the following morning.

MEDICAL INSPECTION OF SCHOOLS

The medical inspection of the schools of Somerville which was instituted December 1907 has been continued during the

year. The value of the system has been constantly demonstrated and the work has been done in a very satisfactory manner. There has been harmony of action between the Board of Health and the School Board, the school principals, and the teachers have very generally co-operated with the inspectors in making the system as successful as possible.

The inspectors are required to make daily visits to the schools under their jurisdiction and to them are referred all children who show evidences of disease or abnormal condition. Children who are found to be unfit to remain in school are sent home with a slip properly filled out advising that the family physician be consulted.

The inspectors also make an annual inspection of all the children in the schools and any defects discovered are called to the attention of the parents.

Monthly inspections of the school buildings and premises are made and suggestions or criticisms are referred to the proper authorities. Every effort is made to protect the health of the children and to cooperate with the parents in keeping the children in as normal a condition as possible. In accordance with provisions of the statute, tests of sight and hearing are made by principals and teachers.

DISTRICT NO. 1

Dr. Francis Shaw, 167 Broadway
Prescott, Hanscom, Dickerman and Edgerly Schools

DISTRICT NO. 2

Dr. Frank Ciampa, 731 Broadway
Baxter, Knapp, Perry and Southern Junior High
Schools

DICTRICT NO. 3

Dr. E. Goduti, 434 Broadway
Bennett, Pope, Cummings and Proctor Schools

DISTRICT NO 4

Dr. Richard Maguire, 432 Medford Street
Morse, Carr, Durell, Burns and St. Theresa Schools

DISTRICT NO. 5

Dr. John W. Hueber, 25 Day Street
Cutler, Hodgkins, Lowe, Highland, Western Junior
High Schools

DISTRICT NO. 6

Dr. David O'Brien, 26 Summit Avenue
Bingham, Brown, Forster and Northeastern Junior
High Schools.

DISTRICT NO. 7

Dr. Edgar F. Sewall, 380 Broadway
Glines, Grimmons and High Schools

DISTRICT NO. 8

Dr. Michael W. White, 21 Walnut Street
St. Joseph, St. Benedict and St. Ann's Parochial
Schools

During the year 12,193 children have been referred to the inspectors during their daily visits and 103 have been sent home because of illness.

The following list will show the classes of diseases and defects which have been found in the schools, except defects of sight and hearing.

LIST OF DISEASES AND NUMBER OF CASES REPORTED

1. Infectious Diseases:—

Chicken Pox	8
Measles	13
Mumps	49
Whooping Cough	5
Total	75

2. Diseases of the Nose and Throat:—

Enlarged Tonsils and Adenoids	1601
Inflammatory Diseases	50
Other Abnormal Conditions	7
Total	1658

3. Diseases of the Eye:—

Foreign Bodies	6
Inflammatory Conditions	2
Other Abnormal Conditions	15
Total	23

4. Diseases of the Ear:—

0

5. Diseases of the Skin:—

Eczema	5
Herpes	8
Impetigo	84
Dermatitis	4
Pediculosis	183
Scabies	25
Miscellaneous Conditions	40
Total	349

6. Diseases of the Feet:—

Flat Feet	154
Hammer Toes	1
Bunions	1
Other Conditions	39
Total	195

7. Miscellaneous Conditions:—

Diseases of the Circulatory System	155
Diseases of the Digestive System	47
Diseases of the Lymphatic System	74
Diseases of the Nervous System	0
Diseases of the Respiratory System	72
Wounds and Injuries	18
Other Conditions	49
Total	415
Total Number of Diseases	2715

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Under the provisions of Chapter 407 of the Acts of 1936, twenty-four persons were duly licensed as funeral directors.

HEALTH NURSES

There are at present seven nurses employed by this Board, four of these are employed as school nurses and the work of the others consists of follow-up work regarding tuberculosis cases and post natal hygiene work together with the other work connected with this Board. The reports of the School

Nurses are made a part of the report of the School Committee and those of the other nurses are made a part of this report being submitted in detail in subsequent pages.

INFANT HYGIENE CLINICS

During the past year under the supervision of this Board, clinics have been held every Tuesday afternoon at the New Vocational School, every Wednesday afternoon at the Hodgkins School, and every Thursday afternoon at the Bingham School, except when the days were holidays. The average weekly attendance at the New Vocational School was 12, at the Hodgkins School 14, and at the Bingham School 7. The attendance for the year at these clinics was 1415. This work is of inestimable value and the results are very far reaching.

REPORT OF THE HEALTH NURSES

Somerville, Mass.,
January 2, 1946

To the Board of Health,
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen:

We submit the following report of work performed by us in infant hygiene, post natal and tuberculosis cases for the year ending December 31, 1945.

INFANT HYGIENE

Infants as reported born in Somerville during 1945	792
Infants born elsewhere resident of Somerville	981
Pairs of twins born in Somerville	5
Stillbirths in Somerville	38
Infants reported with Ophthalmia Neonatorum	0
Infants reported with Conjunctivitis	6
Infants reported with Infantile Paralysis	2

There were 28 deaths of infants under one year of age in Somerville during the past year as shown in the following table:

Prematurity	10
Congenital Diseases	4
Intestinal Diseases	1
Accidental Injury	4
Pneumonia and Other Diseases	9
Total	28

Total attendance at Baby Welfare Clinics during 1945	1415
New registration during 1945	224
Average attendance during 1945	11

TUBERCULOSIS

Pulmonary Tuberculosis cases reported during 1945	69
Other Forms of Tuberculosis reported in 1945	7
Number of patients admitted to the Middlesex County Sanatorium at Waltham	49

Xrays and examinations of patients and contacts are held every second and fourth Friday evenings of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building, Highland Avenue, Somerville.

**TABLE SHOWING AGES AND SEX OF CASES REPORTED
DURING 1945**

	Male	Female	Total
Under fifteen years of age	2	1	3
From fifteen to twenty years	1	3	4
From twenty to thirty years	5	9	14
From thirty to forty years	10	7	17
Over forty years	19	12	31
Totals	37	32	69

OTHER FORMS OF TUBERCULOSIS

	Male	Female	Total
Under fifteen years of age	1	0	1
From fifteen to twenty years ..	0	1	1
From twenty to thirty years ..	0	0	0
From thirty to forty years	0	0	0
Over forty years	1	4	5
Totals	2	5	7

MISCELLANEOUS

Typhoid Fever cases reported	0
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RECAPITULATIONS OF VISITS

Baby Hygiene	2636
Tuberculosis	1374
Miscellaneous	960
Total visits	4970

A fifteen lecture Seminar on Public Health Nursing was attended by us from September 18, 1945 through the remainder of the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE E. PICKERING, R. N.

MARY J. RYAN, R. N.

EILEEN A. DAILY, R. N.

Health Nurses.

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL INSPECTION

Somerville, Mass.,
January 2, 1946.

To the Board of Health,
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith present the report of the Department of Medical Inspection for the year 1945 including statistics of the Contagious Hospital.

VISITS

SCARLET FEVER — Each case must be inspected before release from quarantine to see that condition of the patient is suitable for release	267
DIPHTHERIA — Before patients are released from quarantine two successive negative cultures must be obtained	21
CONTAGIOUS HOSPITAL	365
Total number of visits	653

CONTAGIOUS DISEASE HOSPITAL

Disease	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1945	Admitted	Discharged Well or Improved	Dead	In Hospital Jan. 1, 1946
Diphtheria	5	18	21	0	2
Scarlet Fever	3	152	147	0	8
Miscellaneous	0	12	10	2	0
Daily average 10:58			562 4/7 weeks treatment		

LABORATORY EXAMINATIONS

DIPHTHERIA

	Negative	Positive	Total
January	95	54	149
February	31	14	45
March	27	6	33
April	17	7	24
May	11	2	13
June	38	15	53
July	18	8	26
August	13	4	17
September	20	9	29
October	18	18	36
November	31	19	50
December	5	8	13
Totals	324	164	488

TUBERCULOSIS

	Negative	Positive	Total
January	2	0	2
February	2	0	2
March	6	1	7
April	7	0	7
May	8	1	9
June	4	0	4
July	1	0	1
August	6	0	6
September	4	0	4
October	5	2	7
November	5	0	5
December	6	0	6
Totals	56	4	60
Miscellaneous examinations			68
Total examinations			616

TUBERCULOSIS

During 1945 there were ten deaths from tuberculosis, all from pulmonary tuberculosis and none from other forms.

All patients ill with the disease coming to the attention of the board have either been supervised at their homes by the public health nurses, or have been placed in sanatoria when such treatment was needed.

DIPHTHERIA IMMUNIZATION

The department has continued the immunization of pre-school and school children up to the Junior High grade. The three doses of diphtheria toxoid was used.

Pamphlets in schools and advertisements in the local paper advising them of the clinics and where they could obtain the immunization were presented to the parents.

There were 657 children completed the three inoculations.

The immunizations were accomplished without any ill effects as regards to abscesses or reaction.

The private physicians have also immunized many of the babies, an exact record of which is not submitted to us.

On September 22, 1945 diphtheria clinics for the immunization of children from six months to ten years of age were opened in the Knights of Columbus Building, Highland Avenue, Somerville, to be held the fourth Saturday morning of each month. These clinics are to continue once a month indefinitely. There was an attendance of 547 children with 112 completing the three inoculations.

Respectfully submitted,

WILFRED C. MACDONALD M.D.

Medical Inspector

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ANIMALS AND PROVISIONS

Somerville, Mass.,
January 2, 1946.

To the Board of Health,
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I submit the following as my report for the year ending December 31, 1945.

The word establishment may be construed as including all places coming within the board's jurisdiction.

Number of establishments visited	4211
Complaints investigated	1290
Venereal disease delinquents visited	30
Notices sent	156

All complaints were satisfactorily adjusted.

CONDEMNATIONS

Poultry	750 lbs.	Apples	50 lbs.
Bacon	5 lbs.	Pears	15 lbs.
Smelts	5 lbs.	Oranges	½ doz.
Eggs	1 doz.	Crackers	80 lbs.
Potatoes	15 lbs.	Rolls	2 doz.
Frankforts	35 lbs.	Peanuts	48 pkgs.
Tomatoes	4 lbs.	Candy	1200 lbs.
Candy Bars	1362		

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY T. MURRAY,

Chief Inspector

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND VETERINARIAN

Somerville, Mass.,
January 2, 1946.

To the Board of Health,
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen :

The following is my report for the year ending December 31, 1945.

There were a total of 545 calls made in connection with dog bites during the year by me.

The inspection of the City Home farm animals was done by me as in the past few years.

Respectfully submitted,

EINER W. JOHANSEN D.V.M.

Inspector of Animals and Veterinarian

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DENTAL HYGIENE

Somerville, Mass.,
January 2, 1946.

To the Board of Health,
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen :

I herewith submit the report of the Department of Dental Hygiene for the year 1945 with the following statistics.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY F. BIANCHI, D.M.D.,
Supervising School Dentist

	SCHOOL CHILDREN											CLINIC CASES		HOSPITAL		WELFARE CASES					SOLDIERS' RELIEF CASES						
	Number Examined	Old Patients	New Patients	Emergency Cases	Special Cases	Total Number of Patients	Number of Fillings	Number of Extractions	Number of Cleanings	Number of Treatments	Number of Certificates Granted	Number Given Novocain	Number Given Gas	Number of Patients	Number of Extractions	Number of Patients	Number of Extractions	Number of Patients of Clinic	Number at Hospital	Number Novocain or Ethyl Chloride	Number Given Gas	Number of Patients	Number of Extractions	Number Patients at Clinic	Number Patients at Hospital	Number Novocain or Ethyl Chloride	Number Given Gas
January		663	164	74	0	901	673	254	175	1254	128	163	0	0	0	12	30	12	0	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
February		430	110	69	0	609	381	198	137	844	113	103	0	0	0	9	20	9	0	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
March		649	166	95	0	910	494	318	239	1163	129	201	2	2	4	20	43	20	0	17	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
April		613	174	67	0	854	522	319	169	1191	110	174	2	2	6	12	22	12	0	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
May		574	131	86	0	824	471	274	205	1097	132	139	5	5	18	10	16	10	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
June		327	56	61	0	434	260	169	154	501	114	89	1	1	2	9	12	9	0	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
July		SCHOOL CLINICS CLOSED																									
August		SCHOOL CLINICS CLOSED																									
September		SCHOOL CLINICS CLOSED																									
October	11,040	SCHOOL CLINICS CLOSED																									
November		418	132	49	0	589	390	220	177	842	103	118	1	1	1	5	9	5	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
December		493	279	63	0	833	436	448	178	1125	61	308	2	2	4	2	3	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total		4167	1212	564	0	5954	3627	2200	1434	8017	890	1295	13	13	35	79	155	79	0	48	32	0	0	0	0	0	0

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF MILK AND VINEGAR

CHEMICAL AND BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY

CITY HALL, SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS

January 2, 1946.

To the Board of Health,
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Four hundred and fifty-seven stores are licensed to sell milk, sixty-three dealers are licensed to distribute milk and ninety-four stores registered to sell oleomargarine. Five pasteurizing plants located in Somerville are licensed to operate while forty-two plants in cities and towns outside Somerville, are under the supervision of this department. An average of 40,000 quarts of milk and 1,000 quarts of cream are distributed daily in Somerville. Two hundred seventy-six stores are licensed to sell and nineteen dealers are licensed to manufacture frozen desserts.

The following tables 1, 2 and 3 are a summary of the work of the department for the year:

TABLE 1

Receipts

Month	License Applications	License Fees	Cash for Analyses	Cash Paid City Treasurer	Analyses on Account	Total Income for Department
January	9	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$5.00	\$182.50	\$187.50
(a) February	32	347.50	7.50	355.00	93.50	448.50
(b) March	53	281.00	0.00	281.00	95.50	376.50
(c) April	34	192.00	3.00	195.00	89.00	284.00
May	525	314.50	0.00	314.50	143.50	458.00
June	159	99.50	2.00	101.50	138.00	239.50
(c) July	43	42.00	0.00	42.00	144.50	186.50
August	10	7.00	.50	7.50	198.50	206.00
(d) September	11	26.00	0.00	26.00	171.50	197.50
(c) October	11	16.50	0.00	16.50	193.00	209.50
November	21	13.00	1.00	14.00	187.00	201.00
December	7	4.00	0.00	4.00	147.00	151.00
Totals	915	\$1,348.00	\$14.00	\$1,362.00	\$1,783.50	\$3,145.50

(a) 1 Pasteurizing; 12 Mfr. Frozen Desserts included

(b) 7 Mfr. Frozen Desserts included

(c) 1 Pasteurizing included

(d) 2 Pasteurizing included

TABLE 2

Examinations

Month	Chemical Samples Collected	Bacteria Samples Collected	Total Collections	Sediment Tests	Samples Submitted	Microscopical Examinations	Total Examinations
January	12	12	24	12	501	22	559
February	72	74	146	72	257	89	564
March	83	84	167	83	312	103	665
April	99	102	201	102	264	122	689
May	70	72	142	70	337	84	633
June	86	88	174	86	339	101	700
July	143	143	286	94	649	114	1143
August	80	82	162	80	543	102	887
September	87	87	174	90	395	130	789
October	82	79	161	79	446	99	785
November	52	55	107	52	415	75	649
December	47	47	94	47	338	67	546
Totals	913	925	1838	867	4796	1108	8609

TABLE 3

Inspections

Month	Dairy, R. R. Milk Stations Creameries	Milk and Ice Cream Plants	Restaurants and Stores	Total Inspections
January	2	26	21	49
February	3	44	12	59
March	1	26	10	37
April	5	68	22	95
May	3	52	10	65
June	8	62	125	195
July	4	46	27	77
August	31	61	15	107
September	4	48	26	78
October	5	27	15	47
November	6	40	25	71
December	4	29	19	52
Totals	76	529	327	932

The obsolete analytical balance, now in use, must be replaced as soon as money is available for purchase of new equipment.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. WALLIS

Inspector of Milk and Vinegar

This report, a summary of the work performed in the several sub-divisions of the Board of Health, is respectfully submitted by

JOSEPH H. MCSWEENEY, M.D., *Chairman*
 ANTHONY F. COTA
 WALTER W. WHITTAKER

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen,
City of Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen :

In the name of the Board of Trustees of the Somerville Public Library, I wish to present to you a record of the librarian's report and the library's activities during the past year. It is a report of loyal, faithful service in the cause of Somerville's commonweal, a record of unselfish devotion to duty, a record unsurpassed by any library staff in Massachusetts, a record that we are proud to present to you.

Therefore, it is with deep disappointment we find that this loyal devoted service to Somerville's men, women and children is unacknowledged and even unrecognized. The staff of the Somerville Public Library is one of the finest and most efficient in the State. It is at the same time, the most underpaid in the State. We, of the Board of Trustees, felt that this injustice should be remedied. We felt that since the "laborer is worthy of his hire", the Somerville Public Library laborers were worthy of a better salary, a salary at least approaching that of a living wage, a salary at least approaching that of other library staffs in cities of the same size. Thus with the unanimous vote of the Board of Trustees, we recommended a budget with these increased salaries. To our disappointment, I say again, the increases were completely rejected. And not only that but the appropriation for books was cut in a drastic measure, so that, at a time when books will be more plentiful than ever and good up-to-date reading will be most necessary for our citizens and especially for our school children, it will be impossible for the library to have these books because of the cut in the appropriation.

Gentlemen, it is perhaps misunderstanding on your part of the importance of a library and an intelligent library staff in the community. The library can be a very well-spring of mental, moral and even physical upbuilding. The library staff can be and should be keen, bright, intelligent girls, the source of invaluable information on every possible subject. This has been true, I have found from personal experience, with the staff of the Somerville Public Library. But due to dissatisfaction and lack of a living wage, these splendid girls are leaving us to join the staff of other libraries in smaller cities which pay better salaries. We feel that this is an emergency; and we ask you honorable gentlemen if you will please take this matter under further consideration; that we may make and keep the Somerville Public Library what it should be, the finest and grandest in all the land .

Yours very sincerely,

REV. ANTHONY J. FLAHERTY

President

PUBLIC LIBRARY

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REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

To the Board of Trustees:

The year 1945 will long live in our memory because of two facts: 1) The historical significance of events—President Roosevelt's death, April 14th; V-E Day, May 8th; Japan's surrender, August 14th; V-J Days, August 15th and 16th. 2) The problems arising from one of the most vexing years in the administration of our library organization. Continuing resignations without the possibility of replacements have placed us in a position of attempting to offer our services to the public under most trying conditions. A large staff of part time workers has made it possible to serve our patrons in some degree but the immense amount of work, reverted to our regular staff, has practically reached the saturation point. We can not continue under present conditions without a complete breakdown of staff morale unless of course these overburdened members receive the financial reward commensurate with the responsibilities placed upon them.

At the June meeting of the Board of Trustees, the Librarian was instructed to submit a revised Scheme of Service and Salary Scale. With the assistance of the staff the revision of the Scheme of Service, to be known as the Personnel Plan, is now being made. Also with the assistance of the staff, the Salary Scale was revised, submitted to the Board of Trustees in October and adopted by them. It was then sent to His Honor, the Mayor, for his approval which, to date, has not been forthcoming. However, the Board of Trustees feeling so strongly concerning the low wage standards has included the revised schedule as part of the budget for 1946. We are hoping for favorable reaction on the part of the Mayor—especially when we realize that the library department is the lowest paid department of the city government.

With the ending of World War II our circulation during the last six months has made a definite reverse from the downward trend of previous years, and the most interesting feature is that the proportion of gain is practically the same in the adult as the juvenile department. In this same period we have had a marked increase in registered borrowers. These

facts point definitely to larger increases in circulation with greater responsibilities for our meager staff during the coming year.

When one finds himself in this predicament, the temptation is great to employ anyone available with the fervant hope that, by quantity, one might make up for the lack of quality. Bearing this in mind our selection of applicants must bear severe scrutiny so that we will not make the fatal mistake of employing those who lack educational, temperamental, and adaptable qualifications to maintain our staff on the high level it has attained with the passing years.

The opening of the Teele Square Station in June was the answer to a long felt need to cover the Western extremity of the city. The immediate response is heartening and we are certain that as time goes on the choice of this location will prove of immense value to the community. Since the opening day on June 27th, 737 residents of this section have registered as borrowers, and 13,040 books have been lent.

An opportunity long hoped for was innovated in the early spring, establishing a closer contact between the Library and the School Department. Through the efforts of Dr. Leo C. Donahue, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, meetings with the Elementary and Junior High Masters, School Librarians, and Mrs. Bartlett, our Supervisor of School Work, have been regularly conducted with open discussions of ways and means to improve our services to the schools. The results have been most gratifying. There has been considerable accomplished, both in a better all-around understanding of requirements from the school and the library angles, and the school personnel becoming more aware of the importance and value of the work and services offered by our library.

Our Reference Department has had an extremely busy year, for beside the ordinary routine work they have had the added burden of the Tello-Test Quiz Programs on the air both morning and night with an average of twenty-five to thirty phone calls to the Central Library, not counting the branches, for answers to the questions on each program. One morning our Central desk received fifty-seven calls as a result of this program. Though some may dispute the value of the time and effort required to handle this extra burden, I am firmly con-

vinced that it has acquainted hundreds of people to a service of the library which they never realized was dispensed and in time has made them appreciate that our only function is not the mere routine process of charging and discharging books. An interesting sidelight on this program—Our postman checks with us each day for the answers to give to the people on his route who call to him from their windows as he passes on his way.

Though our problems in the past have appeared most severe we realize as we look in the future that there is much to be accomplished in the betterment of our services. There are, however, many physical handicaps over which we have no control such as the lighting and maintenance of our buildings. With the exception of the Union Square Branch we have all one would desire as to location and buildings, yet the deterioration which has set in over a period of years is appalling. Each and every building urgently needs complete renovation from roof to foundation and we firmly trust some effort will be made in this direction during the coming year. Recommendations by the Librarian sent to His Honor's Post War Planning Committee have set forth these needs, which included the possibility of relocating the Union Square Branch at a point more central to the needs and demands of this district. In its present location this Branch is too close to the Central Library, too far from the shopping area of Union Square, and structurally most unsatisfactory for library service requiring a staff much too large to offer the few services required in this locality. An added thought to our needs is the establishment of a Circulation Station, similar to Ten Hills and Teele Square, in the vicinity of Cedar and Summer Streets. As one surveys our registration maps it is evident that the Central Library in an easterly direction and the West Branch in a westerly direction are too far removed to encourage residents of this area to patronize either location. An effort to alleviate this condition would be most graciously received and would correct a condition unfair to a large number of our taxpayers.

It is with deep regret that we report the death in October of Miss Nellie M. Whipple, who retired in September 1940, after forty years of service, the last thirty years of which she served as Assistant Librarian. Miss Whipple's death has been keenly felt by her many friends in Somerville who knew her

as a devoted, faithful, and conscientious worker over a period of so many years in the Somerville Public Library.

Resignations have been received during the year from the following staff members: Mildred A. Bowley, Chief Cataloger; Rita Finn Brassil, First Assistant at the West Branch; Mary B. Gravelle, First Assistant at the East Branch; and Catherine P. Killilea. Katherine P. Austin was granted a leave of absence from September 1945 to June 1946.

Under the Scheme of Service the following appointments and promotions were made: Rita D. Adams, appointed Children's Librarian; Lois W. Crawford and Mary A. Heneghan, appointed Junior Assistants; Mary R. Phelan, appointed to the Non-Professional Grade; Anna E. Cullen, promoted to Chief Cataloger; Elizabeth W. Hennigan, Margaret B. Scanlan, Ruth D. Warner, and John T. Mackey, promoted to First Assistants; Katherine R. Austin, promoted to Second Year Senior Assistant.

I know I need not elaborate by words of commendation or appreciation for the extraordinary work of our staff. They are working under most difficult conditions but are willingly accepting a situation which they realize is beyond our control. They do not seek words of praise, but financial recognition.

To the Board of Trustees I am indebted for their sympathetic understanding of our problems, their advice and counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN D. KELLEY,

Librarian.

City—Somerville County—Middlesex State—Massachusetts
Name of Library—The Public Library of the City of Somerville
Date of Founding—1872
Name of Librarian—John D. Kelley
Report for fiscal year ending—December 31, 1945
Governmental unit of support and service—City
Population served (1940 U. S. Census)—102,304

Terms of use—Free for lending, free for reference	
Agencies—Central Library	1
Branches—in library buildings	2
in municipal building	1
Stations—in municipal building	1
in rented rooms	2
Others— in school rooms	272
in institutions	8
in clubs	9
Total	296

Number of volumes of adult non-fiction	lent for home use	39,764
Number of volumes of adult fiction	lent for home use	132,711
Number of volumes for juveniles	lent for home use	241,439
Total number of volumes	lent for home use	413,914
Period of loan for the majority of adult book stock—14 days		
Number of inter-library loans—Volumes lent	23	
	Volumes borrowed	20
Number of reference questions answered—11,781		

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Total number of registered borrowers	8,173	6,857	15,030
Borrowers registered during year	4,052	3,350	7,402
Registration period—2 years			

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes December 31, 1944	87,677	34,898	122,575
Number of volumes added during year	5,167	6,024	11,191
Total	92,844	40,922	133,766
Number of volumes withdrawn during year	4,000	4,241	8,241
Number of volumes December 31, 1945	88,844	36,681	125,525
Number of newspapers currently received excluding duplicates			7
Number of periodicals currently received excluding duplicates			193

Assessed valuation of city—\$116,941,600.00
Rate of library tax levy for fiscal year reported: 87/100 of a mill

RECEIPTS**Local Taxation:**

Library Department		\$79,143.70	
Fines included in above	\$3,561.77		
Dog licenses included in above	5,201.60		
Public Buildings Department		23,351.97	
			\$102,495.67

Invested Funds:

Income, current year		\$380.59	
Balance from 1944		4,144.25	
			4,524.84

Total				\$107,020.51
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EXPENDITURES

Salaries: Library Department	\$55,601.96	
Public Buildings Department ..	12,378.49	
		\$67,980.45
Books: Appropriation	10,737.08	
Invested Funds	911.95	
		11,649.03
Periodicals: Appropriation	691.83	
Invested Funds	5.50	
		697.33
Binding		1,531.21
Rent: Public Buildings Department		900.00
Heat and Light:		
Public Buildings Department ..		4,229.29
Insurance: Library Department ..	403.00	
Public Buildings Department ..	540.25	
		943.25
Other Operating Expenses:		
Library Department	3,882.23	
Public Buildings Department ..	5,303.94	
		9,186.17
Total		\$97,116.73

TRANSFERS**From Public Library Department:**

To Health Department	1,500.00		
To Highway Department	2,000.00		
		3,500.00	

BALANCES, DECEMBER 31, 1945**Library Department:**

Appropriation	\$2,796.39		
Invested Funds	3,607.39		
		6,403.78	
Public Buildings Department		0.	6,403.78

GRAND TOTAL				\$107,020.51
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REPORT OF THE CITY ENGINEER

Office of the City Engineer,
City Hall, Somerville, January 1946

Honorable G. Edward Bradley, Mayor,
and Members of the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter X, Section 5, of the Revised Ordinances of 1929 of the City of Somerville, I hereby submit the Annual Report of the Engineering Department for the year ending December thirty-first, nineteen hundred and forty-five.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. SULLIVAN

City Engineer

**GENERAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF SPECIAL EXPEND-
ITURES OTHER THAN ORDINARY EXPENDITURES FOR
ENGINEERING, SEWER, AND PARK AND PLAYGROUND
DIVISIONS**

**GEORGE FREDERICK CONWAY PLAYGROUND
SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT**

1945

CREDIT

Balance from 1944	\$3,107.45
Appropriation	7,500.00
Total	\$10,607.45

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Chain link fences	\$1,666.59
Seeding, rolling, grading	437.98
Equipment and supplies	195.85
Loam furnished and spread	1,228.99
40 Maple trees 10' to 12' furnished, planted and guyed	358.20
Granolithic walks with cinder base	2,044.26
Play apparatus, etc.: swings, tilts, sand boxes	342.48
Bank gravel and clean dirt fill	361.35
Concrete benches constructed and set	611.42
Transportation of equipment	6.00
Surfacing area around wading pool with bitu- minous asphalt	633.67
Surfacing play area with bituminous asphalt..	900.90
Surfacing tennis court with bituminous as- phalt	1,796.15
Total	\$10,583.84
BALANCE UNEXPENDED	\$23.61

IMPROVEMENTS, REAR OF HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

1945

CREDITS

Balance from 1944	\$5,846.61
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STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Equipment and supplies	\$17.64
Contract: construct concrete crib, etc. Rear of Heating Plant, two payments on account (completion of contract)	3,421.00
Excavation, grading and removal of surplus material and construction of concrete steps	

and walks in rear of High School (partial, final payment — completion of agreement)	80.00	
Lawn seed	183.75	
Fertilizer	83.30	
Furnishing seed, seeding, and spreading loam on slopes	623.70	
Excavate slopes with bulldozer; trucking.....	738.04	
Bone fertilizer for use in seeding of embankment	49.98	
Furnishing and planting 300 privets, 20 shade trees	153.45	
Underpinning for running track	396.00	
Replace board planking of running track, remove iron pipe railing from old concrete steps, paint for running track	93.80	
Total		\$5,840.66
BALANCE UNEXPENDED		\$5.95

**COMMEMORATING PERSONS IN WORLD WAR II ACCOUNT
(HONOR ROLL)**

,1945

CREDITS

Balance from 1944	\$158.89	
Appropriation	3,750.00	
Total		\$3,908.89

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Boston Edison for lighting	\$80.94	
Painting Honor Roll	100.00	
Names and addresses typed on Service Record cards by clerks of Draft Board for correct listing	25.68	
Trees	104.00	
Concrete foundations for enlargement	101.95	
Equipment and supplies for enlarging Honor Roll	328.66	
Lumber for enlarging Honor Roll	508.41	
30' Steel Flagpole with 5' goldleaf ball, and setting and painting same	104.85	
18 pine door frames, 4 pine stools and headers;; carpentering	222.42	
12 lights plate glass special edges	128.66	
1 each 3x5 U. S. and Service flags (wool)	15.80	
Move Honor Roll back	33.75	
Total		\$1,755.12
BALANCE UNEXPENDED		\$2,153.77

NEW PLAYGROUND REAR OF POLICE STATION

(Parks and Playgrounds Maintenance Special Items Account)
 Appropriation \$4,000.00

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Excavating and grading	\$439.56	
Bulldozer with operator	157.41	
Concrete for wall for fence	217.80	
Construct concrete sand box	123.75	
*Chain link fence	488.00	
"Junglegym" climbing structure	247.50	
Mix-concrete	83.50	
Loam	467.77	
Install three concrete benches	178.20	
Sand for sand boxes	10.35	
Lawn seed	53.90	
Lumber for concrete forms for fence	120.61	
Calcium chloride	34.30	
Concrete base for junglegym, weld and set up junglegym	82.15	
Rope, bolts, washers, paint	88.94	
*Erect chain link fence	342.00	
Seeding, grading and spreading loam	222.75	
	\$3,358.04	
6-swing outfit, 4-board see-saw, to be erected in 1946; already ordered and money set aside	311.20	3,669.24
UNEXPENDED BALANCE		\$330.76

ENGINEERING DIVISION

(City Engineer Account)

LENGTH OF STREETS

*Public	90.646
Private	10.804
	101.450

* Includes 1,406 Miles of City Boulevard and Park Roadways
 2.331 Miles Metropolitan District Boulevard
 0.58 Mile State Highway

(A revision of lengths of public and private streets showing that, owing to abandoned and duplicated streets and incorporated into the Northern Artery, the total length has decreased.)

LENGTH OF PUBLIC STREETS IN EACH WARD

	Miles
Ward One	14.280
Ward Two	14.671
Ward Three	10.321
Ward Four	14.771
Ward Five	11.779
Ward Six	11.591
Ward Seven	13.213

Total length of public streets in the city 90.646

TABLE OF STREET CONSTRUCTION

	Square Yards	Miles
*		
**Streets paved with granite blocks	214,608	8.778
Streets paved with vitrified brick	1,648	0.288
Streets constructed with concrete base and bituminous concrete top	287,616	12.428
Streets constructed with bituminous con- crete base and bituminous concrete top...	3,790	0.215
†Streets constructed with concrete base and bituminous penetrated top	19,245	0.461
†Streets constructed with broken stone and bituminous concrete top	145,687	9.237
‡Streets constructed with broken stone and bituminous penetrated top		48.955
Streets constructed of water bound ma- cadam		10.308
Streets graveled or unimproved		10.780
Total (Miles)		101.450

* Also 27.92 miles (single track) electric railway paved with granite, asphalt, etc.

** Includes 6,149 sq. yds. (0.438 miles) cement concrete roadway Middlesex Avenue

† Includes 0.98 mile of state highway

‡ Includes 1.406 miles of city boulevard and park roadways and 2.331 miles of state boulevard (Metropolitan District Commission, Park Division.)

MILES OF EDGESTONE, GRANOLITHIC, GRAVEL AND BRICK
SIDEWALKS IN EACH WARD

	Edgestone	Gravel Sidewalk	Brick Sidewalk	Granolithis Sidewalk
Ward One	21.343	2.525	5.523	12.419
Ward Two	17.946	4.470	3.580	8.628
Ward Three	14.619	0.448	10.088	3.865
Ward Four	20.901	0.363	5.973	12.090
Ward Five	23.309	2.119	10.638	8.852
Ward Six	25.873	3.225	9.261	13.559
Ward Seven	38.807	1.195	6.952	28.203
	162.798	14.345	52.015	87.615

(Details, etc., streets and sidewalks in report of Street Commissioner.)

UNDERGROUND CONDUITS

(Public Service Corporation)

	Miles laid in City Streets
Boston Elevated Railway Co.	5.55
Edison Electric Illuminating Co.	17.52
New England Tel. & Tel. Company	37.22
Cambridge Gas Light Company	67.60
Boston Consolidated Gas Co. (formerly Charlestown Gas co.)	32.27
Somerville Department of Electric Lines and Lights, Police and Fire Alarm	15.66
Total.....	175.82

All locations for sub-surface construction are assigned by this department.

SEWER DIVISION

The design and construction of sewers, storm drain, catch basins, house drains, etc., maintenance of the drainage system and other items in this division are under the direction and control of the City Engineer.

Total length of city's drainage system	151.90 miles
Total length of Metropolitan sewerage system mains running through this city	3.475 miles
17 connections, in Somerville, with Metropolitan sewerage mains. Also 4 connections through Medford and 1 connection through Cambridge. Locations of City's mains connecting with state sewer in 1912 report, and details of construction in previous reports	
New catch basins constructed in city's highways 1944	2
Total catch basins maintained by city	2,313
Other catch basins—State Highway, Metropolitan Park, B. E. Ry., etc.	3,300
Total catch basins in the city for storm drainage pur- poses	2,613
Sump manholes on drainage system	139

The separate sewerage system should be extended each year to assist in the ultimate separation of sewerage and storm water which the Metropolitan District Commission is striving to accomplish.

Many of our storm drains and sewers have been in service for many years. Several of the older sewers have collapsed during the past few years, necessitating immediate repair and in many instances the reconstruction of entire sections. After an exhaustive and thorough examination of our sewerage system, I am of the opinion that such breakdowns will occur more

frequently than heretofore, particularly in the oldest and largest trunk sewers and storm drains. Looking toward this end the City Engineer and his assistants are now preparing a comprehensive plan for such long range and large scale sewage works construction program. This work can very well be done as part of our post war public works program.

1945

CREDITS

Appropriation and Credits	\$63,597.13
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STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Labor	\$26,355.33	
Maintenance of trucks	2,580.48	
Equipment, supplies and repairing tools and property	2,966.91	
Total		*\$31,902.72
BALANCE UNEXPENDED		*\$31,694.41

* Includes balance of \$29,972 of appropriation for sewer construction in Medford Street.

There were received during the year 1945 a total of 1,341 complaints for drains clogged, cellars flooded and catch basins blocked.

Only persons that are licensed as drain layers by the city and who have given satisfactory bonds are permitted to lay and repair private drains.

Data concerning each drain connection with the public sewer is on file in this office, and time and expense could be saved the owner, where trouble exists, by applying directly to this department for investigation and advice.

Many car track catch basins and underground conduit manholes built by public service corporations have been connected with the City's drainage system.

There are to date about 18,622 private drain connections with the city's drainage system.

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS DIVISION

There are at the present time nineteen parcels of land laid out as parks and playgrounds and maintained and improved by this department having an area of 83.1 acres, also one cemetery maintained, 0.7 acre. Total 83.8 acres. Many of these areas are badly in need of improvement, and more play areas should be developed in the more densely populated sections of our City.

The City has become so densely populated (averaging nearly 26,000 people a square mile) that some of the larger park areas should be more extensively utilized for public recreation and physical training purposes. In several parks field houses should be constructed, additional apparatus and shelters provided, and some of the smaller playground areas should be enclosed by wire fencing for protection.

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNTS

1945

CREDITS

Appropriation Parks and Playgrounds	\$58,001.23
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STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Playgrounds			Parks
\$23,232.55	Labor	\$19,894.18	
141.70	Maintenance of truck	165.48	
	Telephone	49.56	
4,284.93	Equipment and supplies, repairing tools, property, maintenance flagpoles, fountains, bubblers, seats, fences, backstops, doors, grandstands, pools, skating rinks, etc.	2,442.71	
990.79	Marchi Playground Improvements		
236.81	Foss Park Improvements	18.02	
3,413.90	New Playground Rear of Police Station		
	Shelter Tufts Park at Bus Stop	396.00	
	Completion Veterans' Rest	834.69	
\$32,300.68*	Totals	\$23,800.64	
		32,300.68*	
	GRAND TOTAL EXPENSE.....		\$56,101.32
	BALANCE UNEXPENDED		\$1,899.91

IMPROVEMENTS MADE TO PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS DURING THE YEAR 1945

CONWAY PLAYGROUND

The children's area has now been completed, and further development toward furnishing a baseball diamond will begin in 1946.

VETERANS' REST

Money is now available for erection of chain link fence, and further beautification will be finished in 1946.

HONOR ROLL

The Honor Roll has been enlarged by the installation of four extra nine-foot panels — two on each side — and by making this addition space has been provided for all names of men and women in the Armed Forces of Somerville, Massachusetts.

BEAUTIFICATION OF REAR OF HIGH SCHOOL

The greater portion of the area in the rear of the High School has been completed. There is still more grading to be done in the rear of the Gymnasium and also to continue the concrete steps from where the present steps end to meet the walk at the entrance of the High School.

VICTORY GARDENS

Gardens on Central Hill, Dilboy Field and Linden Avenue were made available for use of citizens,, and when the 1945 garden season for planting was ended the Victory Gardens were discontinued from further use.

LINCOLN PARK

Repairs were made to various sand boxes, and the back-stop at the baseball diamond which has been badly in need of repairs has been put in safe and perfect condition. Six new concrete benches have been installed and repairs made to hand rails at entrance.

MARCHI PLAYGROUND

Considerable grading has been done to the front area of the playground, and new concrete benches have been installed.

DICKERMAN PARK

Concrete walk and steps which were in a badly undermined condition have been repaired by means of a concrete underpinning.

NEW PLAYGROUND REAR OF POLICE STATION

Construction of a new play area for children was made on city-owned land in the rear of the Police Station on Sanborn Court. The lot was graded, loamed, a chain link fence erected around the entire enclosure on a concrete wall, swings, see-saws and concrete benches constructed. The park is enjoyed by a great number of the young children in the vicinity,

GENERAL

The City Engineer has been called upon to assist the Law Department by preparing plans of locations of accidents involving the City of Somerville. On several occasions the City Engineer appeared in court in connection with law suits involving the City.

For the Assessors several plans and data for tax appeal cases were prepared including computed areas of buildings and lots. Floor areas on buildings were computed and furnished to the Assessors from measurements taken in the field. In this connection, it would be of great value not only to the Assessors, but to other departments, if Architects and Engineers were required to furnish with each set of plans the cubical contents of all buildings to be constructed

In conclusion I wish to take this opportunity to express the appreciation of myself and my assistants in the Engineering Department to His Honor, the Mayor and all the members of the City Government and to the various city departments for the excellent assistance and co-operation extended during the year 1945.

REPORT OF THE RECREATION COMMISSION 1945

E. STUART ROGERS, *Chairman*

	Term Expires
WALLACE A. BLAIR	1945
EUGENE W. DRISCOLL	1946
JOSEPH D. FILADORO	1946
MRS. ROSE M. GLENDON	1945
MRS. HARRIETT M. HURLBURT	1946
GEORGE L. KEEFE	1947
MRS. CLARA R. MOORE	1945
REV. NAZARENO PROPERZI	1946
E. STUART ROGERS	1946
HARRY D. STANCHFIELD	1945

Secretary To The Commission: FRANCIS J. MAHONEY

December 31, 1945

To the Honorable the Mayor and The Board of Aldermen:

The Recreation Commission in presenting its report for the year 1945 wishes to stress the continuance of its attitude towards the service as one of inquiry, investigation, and analysis as a means of further reorganizing and revitalizing a very vital service to the community.

With the cessation of the hostilities of the World War and the difficulties of reconversion to a peace-time basis before us, the crying need for adequate recreational facilities for the returning veteran and the displaced war worker cannot be too strongly emphasized.

Toward this end a beginning has been made in the Youth Theatre movement, the Community Choral group, Community Orchestra, and other adult and youth projects.

The Service under the Commission has continued in 1945 to experience the difficulties of the war-time period and the carry-over of those other difficulties of the pre-war period which had been summarized in the Commission's Annual Reports for 1943 and 1944; including scarcity of available men and women for leadership service, changing personnel, and the war-time psychology as it has affected community groups. On the other hand the Service has had advantages in 1945 which have helped to lessen the possible consequences of the difficulties mentioned. These advantages have included increased appropriation of funds, marked co-operation with the Recreation Service by His Honor the Mayor, the Public Buildings Department, the City Engineer's Department, and the Board of Aldermen. This co-operation is gratefully acknowledged by the Commission.

The details as to the effects, both of the difficulties mentioned and of the advantages mentioned, are recognizable through the Annual Report received by the Commission from the Superintendent. That report has been appended to this

report together with the financial summary for the year. The attention of His Honor the Mayor and the Honorable Board of Aldermen is called both to this Annual Report of the Superintendent and to the following recommendations respectfully submitted by the Commission: —

- (1) Construction of at least one Municipal building, which will serve as Recreation Center, Civil Center; with immediate steps to be initiated now as to selection of location(s) and planning.
- (2) Renovation or re-equipping of some building or buildings, already owned by the City, as additional Recreation Centers.
- (3) Financial provisions—through annual Municipal Budget and Appropriations—to enable the Commission to re-establish the program represented by the Evening Neighborhood Recreation Centers for Adults, using the buildings at the Knapp, Morse, Bingham, and Western Jr. High Schools, and some building in East Somerville; or some equivalent; pending the fulfillment of the recommendations carried in Items “(1)” and “(2)”.
- (4) Similar provision as to restoration of the Evening Gymnasium Activities for Adults, as those had been conducted from 1930 to 1934.
- (5) Provision—similarly—for making available to the public, as served through your Commission, the Gymnasium at the Western Jr. High School.
- (6) That the City provide for the Commission's service some one or two or more buildings or sections of buildings set aside for indoor activities for boys and girls, especially the Boys' Clubs and Girls' Clubs already sponsored by the Commission; pending the fulfillment of the recommendations carried in Items “(1)” and “(2)”.
- (7) That the City undertake construction and development of ten or more “neighborhood playgrounds” calculated to serve the non-athletic play needs of younger children; not necessarily any larger than 15,000 to 18,000 square-feet in area, but the larger the better; without emphasis

on expensive or perishable equipment, but with attractive and practical surfaces, shelter, shade trees, fencing, and drinking-water; with plan for providing trained leadership in times to come: the locations to be selected not without consideration and recommendation by the Recreation Commission; and by taking whatever advantage is possible of

- (a) Properties now in or about to come into custody of the City, through tax claims or otherwise.
 - (b) Needs for demolition of unsightly or unsafe buildings;
 - (c) Properties contiguous to public school and other school grounds;
 - (d) The land at the junction of Albion St. and Lowell St.;
 - (e) The land on Central St. opposite Vernon St., adjacent to the Railroad;
 - (f) The property, formerly occupied by houses now razed, contiguous to the North side of the Northeastern Jr. High School grounds;
 - (g) The City-owned land on the northwesterly side of Beacon St., near Washington St.;
 - (h) Any properties that can be had by lease, loan, or purchase in the general vicinity of Powder House Sq. and Ball Sq.
- (8) That the grounds of the Walter Ernest Shaw "play-ground" be surfaced (as they have never been) to condition this area for playground purposes; that the screen fence be removed which now encloses the "children's playground" area, in order to make adequate the space needed for baseball, etc.; and whatever of the "children's playground" equipment is of use be transferred to the nearby grounds of the Hodgkins School, which are utilized to a great extent for children's play.

- (9) That the City reconvert grounds and layout of the John M. Woods Playground (so-called) into an actually "play-able" playground, in keeping with the purpose for which funds were twice appropriated by the City:— (a) for purchase of the land, and (b) for its development; this reconversion to eliminate the placement of settees, etc. in locations that prevent athletic games, etc., the removal of the high screen fence (valuable if utilized elsewhere) which surrounds a rectangle intended for tennis courts which are never maintained or conditioned or used, and which serves to prevent play of athletic games: and that the attempt be discontinued to have this "playground" regarded as a Park. (The money appropriated was for purchase and development of a playground for the people and the children; and the vicinity has *very great need of a playground.*)
- (10) That the new Conway Playground be hastened to completion; and placed in condition for use (even though not entirely completed) as early as possible in the Spring of 1946.
- (11) Appropriation of sufficient funds to enable the Commission to provide, in connection with the Summer Playgrounds service, three sessions each day instead of two—adding a "twilight" or early evening session to the established morning and afternoon sessions; with "staggered" assignments for play leaders; and increase in the number of leaders proportionate to the additional service.
- (12) Planting of trees for shade on the Glen-St., Lincoln Park, Conway, Shaw, John M. Woods, and Richard Trum playgrounds, and installing of shelter-houses, or the equivalent, there and at the grounds of the Perry School.
- (13) That the City make more extensive provisions for outdoor Recreation in Winter seasons for adults and children; such as tobogganning, skiing, sledding, and ice-hockey; including separation of hockey-playing areas from general skating areas; and including financial and other provisions for supervision, leadership, and enforcement of regulations; and including some systematic or scientific organization of the flooding, scraping, and freezing process, as to rinks.

- (14) Steps to bring about a sharing by the Commission in the allocation of permits, etc. affecting use of playgrounds, athletic fields, and other recreational facilities without non-conformity to the provisions of the City Charter.

Respectfully submitted by

THE RECREATION COMMISSION

E. STUART ROGERS, *Chairman*

WALLACE A. BLAIR

EUGENE W. DRISCOLL

JOSEPH D. FILADORO

ROSE M. GLENDON

HARRIET M. HURLBURT

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CLARA R. MOORE

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT TO THE RECREATION COMMISSION FOR THE YEAR 1945

December 31, 1945

To The Recreation Commission:

This Annual Report to your Commission, submitted in conformity to custom and requirement, is purposely abbreviated because there have been detailed reports by the Superintendent to the Commission monthly and sometimes more often throughout the year — familiarizing the Commission in detail with the developments in the program, difficulties in the troublesome times through which the Service has passed, and the views of the Superintendent concerning the various items of business.

Financial statement covering the year 1945 is given at the end of this Report.

Other outstanding items for report are briefly summarized as follows:

Increased appropriation of funds has enabled the Commission to employ a staff that has been numerically more nearly adequate in most seasons of the year, to provide more nearly adequate supplies, to fix salary rates less inadequate than during the many years preceding 1945, and thus to induce an improved morale in the Service.

There has been marked co-operation with the Recreation Service by those departments which control the major "tools" of Recreation — the City Engineer's Department and the Public Buildings Department.

The Summer Play program is judged to have been the most successful of any in the past ten years; the following factors having entered into the success as judged:—

- (1) Salary rates for Play Leaders in 1945 have arrived at a point more nearly reasonable than at any time in the

past. Although salaries are still low, it has been possible to attract to the Service for the Summer season of 1945 some highly competent persons in larger number than during the past four years and to provide for the great majority of them some pre-season training that has been nearly ample;

- (2) Restoration of the position of Special Supervisor for Inter-Playground Athletics, through availability of funds and the availability of men, has revived one phase of the program which had been in condition far from normal during the previous several years;
- (3) Availability of funds and personnel has made it possible (a) to revive the customary annual Twilight Play Festival which had been omitted for six seasons, and (b) to restore the efficient organization of the annual Inter-Playground Athletic Meet — these two events formulating strong incentive to children's play activities throughout the season;
- (4) The return to the playgrounds of younger teen-age boys, whose attendance in the three previous years had been gradually decreasing under circumstances where paid employment was available to boys even as young as these — whose presence or absence from the playgrounds has an important effect upon other children's habits

The number of Saturday Playground units has been increased, in partial restoration of the previous number, as result of availability of more men and women leaders.

There has been a revival of public interest in the Recreation work during 1945 — probably because of the gradual release of war-time tension and citizens' preoccupation with other matters.

There has been a general increase in the quality of service rendered by Girls' Clubs Counselors and a corresponding progressive development in the Girls' Clubs activities and organization; and the Superintendent judges that these are in result of the refilling of the position of Chief Counselor for Girls' Clubs which had been vacant during a considerable part of the previous year 1944.

A very considerable increase in the number of boys enrolled among the Somerville Young Aircrafters and an increase in the number of squadrons has taken place during the Fall of 1945.

An attempt has been made to revive the Boxing program among boys; and it is still in experimental stage, with the results at times encouraging and at other times doubtful.

A Community Music program has finally been launched, after some years of postponement because of war-time difficulties, financial inadequacies, unavailability of indoor premises, etc. The developments thus far — the program was launched late in the year — include the successful beginnings of an Adult Community Chorus and an Adult Orchestra, and the enhancement of the activities of the Boy's Clubs, Girls' Clubs, and Youth Theatre groups through musical activities assisted by the part-time Director of Community Music. A Community Christmas Observance, in the form of tribute of welcome to returning men and women from the Armed Services of the United States, was conducted on Central Hill, in connection with the City's Honor Roll, on Sunday evening, December 23, featuring the Community Chorus.

A similar development — after similar postponement — is represented by the revival of Community Drama through the employment, beginning late in the year, of a Director for Dramatics. The Youth Theatre, with a very large membership of teen-age boys and girls, is succeeding notably; and will probably be the first of a "chain" of Drama groups for adults, youth, and children; and the leaders for Drama have also effected enhancement of the activities of Boys' and Girls' Clubs.

A similar development, in lesser degree, can be reported as to Handcraft. Summer Playgrounds Handcraft has been especially intensive, popular, and successful.

Although the foregoing paragraphs of this Report indicate progress and development, it would be misleading to leave the impression that "all is well" with the Service as it is viewed by the Superintendent. Far below the norm of earlier years is the efficiency of the Service; and far from satisfactory according to any high standard of values and accomplishments are its results and its productivity. Restoration to normal is still an objective of the future, calling for industry, energy, vision, and anything but complacency on the part of the Superintendent

and the employed staff. The difficulties of the recent years prior to 1945 still carry over in part into 1945; and the CONSEQUENCES of even those difficulties which have been overcome, are still present. The next paragraphs here deal with those difficulties and problems.

They are summed up in the expression "Changeable and Unstable Personnel". The war years, as your Commission readily recalls, were preceded by several years of drastically reduced appropriations and unavailability of buildings, etc. The long sequence of those years of non-encouragement of the Commission's Service by the City Government, plus the years in which Military Service requirements depleted the staff, had led to a situation which was cited two years ago in the Superintendent's Annual Report to your Commission. That Report cited that there no longer existed the long-standing asset which has enabled the Service to withstand ten tragically difficult years: — the morale, *esprit de corps* and intelligent energy of the leadership corps. That 1943 report of the Superintendent, after summarizing the factors and forces from without which had been valiantly, patiently, and dutifully withstood by a staff of devoted and efficient employees from 1934 till 1942, added the following statements:—

"And when a RECOVERY from this tendency was just setting in — just as this desirable re-adjustment was in promise — the conditions of THE WAR AND SELECTIVE SERVICE AND THE GENERAL MANPOWER PROBLEM arose to become an even greater menace to the Service. The destructive influence of the pre-war difficulties mentioned, together with the normal course of events in a service which employs largely part-time leaders, had already eliminated the bulk of the trained, experienced, devoted staff members — those imbued with the traditions of the Service and enthusiasm to overcome its tragic difficulties and to serve more for the cause than for the remuneration. And THIS TIME these unusual persons were NOT BEING REPLACED..... at the beginning of 1943, the Commission was aware that an 'all-time low' in the efficiency and morale of the leadership service became inevitable. It has come..... Your Commission is aware that the Armed Services have taken one after another of its

valuable workers; that Selective Service circumstances have made impossible their replacement by young men of the customary age; and that older men and young women — the obvious war-time alternatives — have, even when solicited or invited to accept service—"just laughed" at the wage rates available. Your Commission is aware that, even where replacements have been made, changing conditions have made very brief the terms of service of the workers enlisted; and that the personnel has thus been in constant change."

During 1944 and 1945, as has been said, the fundamental conditions for overcoming these difficulties have been restored: —Financial appropriation far less inadequate, official encouragement and co-operation, and some availability of buildings — however ill-adapted to Recreation purposes. But the restoration of these fundamentals did not end the Selective Service difficulties. They did not accomplish the return to the Service of the highly trained, experienced, and devoted men and women who had made up the leadership staff. Better salaries did make available a few more men and women, but either men above or youths below the Military Service age. And nearly always men available only for part-time or seasonal service. The benefits of this restoration are seen in the return towards normal in the Summer Playgrounds program. Here school teachers were free for full-time service during July and August. And the Superintendent forced his own availability for two weeks of pre-season training for the augmented Summer Play staff. Could this accomplishment be applied to the year-round program, your Commission's service would be further along the road to full recovery. But analysis will reveal that it is impossible as yet to attain such highly desirable objective. Military Service requirements have only recently begun to release men. None have been released who are veteran Recreation leaders; none of supervisory rank or intermediate rank in your Commission's service; and none who are available for full-time, permanent service. None, in short, to whom the Superintendent could delegate the training of "newer" employes and leading them towards *esprit de corps*. And none who would have the incentive of permanent attachment to the Service, in view of the fact that they are nearly all temporary replacements for men on "military" leaves of absence. Every effort of the Superintendent to supervise, inspire and train this changeable and inconstant personnel by means of his own direct contacts, necessarily results in a with-

drawal by the Superintendent from his duties in the executive and administrative phases of the work and his duties as Secretary To The Commission. It will take a long time, and the reinstatement of some staff members after "military" leave, before a "new" and inexperienced personnel, made up largely of whoever is available, can develop within itself workers who can take over the supervisory duties, lead the other leaders, and share with the Superintendent the duties of evolving a community-wide program to meet the changing times, the duties of training other workers, and the semi-administrative duties — so numerous and so varied — which now rest solely on the Superintendent.

With the turn of the new year the Superintendent predicts that there will be a favorable development in the direction suggested as desirable in the foregoing paragraph. Already three permanent-recurrent Recreation leaders are being released from the Armed Services and should soon be available for part-time and seasonal work. Within about two months the services of Mr. Charles C. Kelley, veteran full-time, year-round leader, should again be available through his discharge from military service. General changes in economic conditions following the war should make available more women equipped with the traits and aptitudes of potential Recreation leaders; and the current illness of one of the key full-time workers is likely to be followed by better physical condition. The passage of time will provide experience for some of the recently appointed "new" workers. And the general improvement through these factors should release the Superintendent for more concentrated and more systematic attention to duties, whereas at present his efforts are unsystematically scattered to great degree.

Imbued with this point of view, the Superintendent and other members of the staff look forward to the year 1946 with confidence and with resolve to do their best. Your Commission's tolerant and sympathetic understanding of the difficulties is well appreciated by the members of the staff.

The Superintendent takes this occasion to record appreciation of the thoroughgoing co-operation — in connection with the details and routine of the year's work in carrying out the Recreation program — accorded by His Honor The Mayor, the Commissioner of Public Buildings and staff, the City

Engineer and staff, and the Board of Aldermen and its individual members.

Attention is called to the Financial Summary appended to this Report.

Respectfully Submitted,

FRANCIS J. MAHONEY

Superintendent

City of Somerville, Recreation Commission

FINANCIAL SUMMARY, 1945

ANNUAL APPROPRIATION	\$33,768.35	
BALANCE FROM 1944	727.44	
	\$34,495.79	
TRANSFER (May 24)	721.07	
	\$35,216.86	
TRANSFER (November 21)	4,801.00	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$40,017.86	
EXPENDITURES:		
Salaries and Wages	\$35,550.27	
Equipment and Supplies	1,679.51	
Printing and Planographing	301.33	
Music	23.76	
Office Supplies	280.20	
Telephone	241.76	
Postage, Parcel Post, and Express	215.11	
Personal Disbursements	31.09	
Rental of Premises	100.00	
Rental of Equipment and Supplies	3.00	
Repair of Equipment	33.00	
Repair of Typewriters	4.75	
Automobile Maintenance:		
Station Wagon	369.26	
Other	250.00	
Carfares for Itinerant Workers	.85	
Special Items:		
Parts of Swing-Frames for School-		
Yard Playgrounds	43.20	
All Other	50.00	
	\$39,177.09	39,177.09
UNEXPENDED BALANCE		\$840.77

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

January 1, 1946

To the Honorable, The Mayor and the
Board of Alderman of the City of
Somerville, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen :

I respectfully submit herewith the Annual report of the
Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1945.

ARRESTS

Whole number of arrests made	2254	2254
Summoned by the Court	612	
On warrants	418	
Without warrants	1224	
		2254
Held for trial	2063	
Delivered to other Departments	183	
Released on waivers	8	
		2254
Males	2039	
Females	215	
		2254

REPORTS

Cases investigated	5832
Value of property stolen	\$26,143.00
Value of property recovered	\$65,885.00

CHANGES IN THE DEPARTMENT

Deaths

Patrolman Henry A. Lord, U. S. Navy

Killed in Action

Appointments

William J. Heafey	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945
Thomas W. McGovern	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945
William F. Lynch	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945

Walter J. Willwerth	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945
John J. Donovan	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945
James F. Downing	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945
Francis J. Keane	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945
Allan L. Collins	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945
Allan S. Mosher	Appointed March 26, 1945 in effect April 1, 1945
Frederick F. Rogers	Appointed Sept. 19, 1945 in effect Oct. 15, 1945
William Versackas	Appointed Sept. 19, 1945 in effect Oct. 15, 1945
Charles P. Meehan	Appointed Sept. 19, 1945 in effect Oct. 15, 1945
Joseph M. Desmon	Appointed Sept. 19, 1945 in effect Oct. 15, 1945
James E. Keating	Appointed Sept. 19, 1945 in effect Oct. 15, 1945
George L. Gordon	Appointed Sept. 19, 1945 in effect Oct. 15, 1945
James P. Ryan	Appointed Sept. 19, 1945 in effect Oct. 15, 1945

Pensioned

Patrolman Robert D. Dewar pensioned January 3, 1945; reinstated under Governor's emergency act.
 Patrolman Charles H. McAvoy pensioned February 23, 1945
 Patrolman Cornelius P. Canavan pensioned August 1, 1945
 Patrolman George R. Estee pensioned August 16, 1945
 Patrolman Francis P. Higgins discharged March 23, 1945.

RETIRED MEMBERS

Carleton, George H.	Sergeant	Jan. 9, 1883	Mar. 27, 1914
Drew, Elmer E.	Patrolman	May 22, 1895	July 25, 1918
Jones, Frederick G.	Patrolman	Oct. 11, 1906	Feb. 23, 1923
Davis, Edward M.	Patrolman	May 22, 1905	Sept. 23, 1927
Heron, Theodore E.	Patrolman	Mar. 26, 1890	Sept. 28, 1927
Rice, George L.	Patrolman	May 22, 1895	Apr. 11, 1931
Hawes, Albert C.	Patrolman	Jan. 13, 1910	Nov. 22, 1932
Burns, Samuel	Patrolman	Apr. 25, 1894	Dec. 21, 1932
Morrison, Alexander	Patrolman	Nov. 30, 1911	Apr. 14, 1934
Lacey, Charles F.	Patrolman	May 22, 1919	Apr. 14, 1934
Begley, Francis R.	Patrolman	Apr. 24, 1924	Sept. 14, 1936
Downey, Denis	Patrolman	Apr. 6, 1905	Oct. 1, 1936
Lynch, James M.	Sergeant	Sept. 16, 1902	Jan. 11, 1937
Raymond, Elmer G.	Patrolman	Apr. 12, 1917	June 10, 1937
Carey, Alfred J.	Patrolman	May 2, 1928	June 2, 1938
Roche, Frank J.	Sergeant	July 26, 1917	July 15, 1938
Crossman, Claude L.	Patrolman	Mar. 26, 1904	Dec. 1, 1938
Culliton, Edward L.	Patrolman	July 25, 1918	Sept. 18, 1939
Moore, Peter	Patrolman	May 14, 1908	Jan. 14, 1940
Hagerty, John J.	Patrolman	Feb. 14, 1929	June 1, 1940
McCabe, Bernard	Patrolman	May 14, 1908	Mar. 22, 1942
May, Edward A.	Patrolman	Jan. 9, 1930	Apr. 26, 1942
Strangman, George R.	Patrolman	Jan. 24, 1929	June 7, 1942
Hopkins, Edward J.	Patrolman	May 10, 1906	Sept. 23, 1942
McNamara, Thomas F.	Patrolman	May 8, 1902	Jan. 6, 1943
Cidado, August S.	Patrolman	Apr. 24, 1925	June 20, 1943
Reardon, Leo C.	Patrolman	Jan. 9, 1930	Dec. 19, 1943
Higgins, Francis P.	Patrolman	Apr. 27, 1911	Dec. 24, 1943
Baker, John H.	Patrolman	May 12, 1921	Dec. 29, 1943
Riley, Daniel J.	Patrolman	May 14, 1926	July 16, 1944
MacDonald, George D.	Patrolman	July 25, 1918	Nov. 22, 1944

Death

Dadmun, John A., Patrolman Died November 21, 1945.

OFFICIAL ROSTER OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT**Chief of Police**

Thomas Damery

CaptainsFitzpatrick, Augustine J.
Kenney, William G.Walsh, Thomas P.
Sharry, Augustine F.**Lieutenants**Fulton, Charles J.
Killourhy, John J.O'Connell, Daniel M.
Sharry, Thomas M.**Sergeants**Cavanagh, Francis X.
Cunningham, Hugh R.
Dwyer, Joseph A.
Elliott, Earle W.
Fitzpatrick, James A.Pierce LeRoy V.
Reed, Walter
Roche, Henry W.
Small, Joseph F.**Patrolmen**Allan, George R.
Aucoin, Cornelius

Baird, William J.
Barrett, John K.
Begley, Cornelius T.
Berg, Edward L.
Blake, Joseph P.
Blake, William F.
Brady, Robert J.
Brennan, Jeremiah G.
Brosnahan, John J.
Buckley, Timothy
Burke, Ulick M.
Burlingame, John F.
Burns, Allan S.
Butman, Edward G.

Calandrella, Nicholas A.
Cammon, Fred A.
Canty, Eugene M.
Caswell, Lester A.
Clark, John J.
Coffey, Harold L.
Collins, Allan L.
Collins, Cornelius J.
Corkery, Timothy J.
Courtney, John J.
Cronin, John J.
Crosby, George W.Crowley, Joseph G.
Cruise, John F.
Cullinan, Christopher C.
Cummings, John J.
Curran, Joseph F.
Curtin, John J.

Davis, Preston C.
Desmond, Joseph M.
DeVellis, Cosmo
DeWar, Robert D.
Dillaway, John E.
Donovan, Jeremiah F.
Donovan, John F.
Donovan, John J.
Donovan, Thomas A.
Donovan, William H.
Doolin, Patrick J.
Dowd, Michael J.
Downey, William J.
Downing, James F.
Dunleavey, John M.
Dwyer, William E.

Ellis, Charles W.
Estee, Joseph R.

Faulkner, Ernest C.
Fedele, Joseph F.
Fitzgerald, William J.

Fitzpatrick, Aug. W.
 Flanagan, Thomas J.
 Fleming, Thomas J.
 Forristall, Edward G.

Gallagher, John J.
 Gleason, Raymond J.
 Gordon, George L.
 Gormley, Leo H.
 Griffin, William H.
 Gullage, George Jr.

Hall, Thomas L.
 Hallion, Howard E.
 Heafey, John F.
 Heafey, William J.
 Holmes, James F.
 Hughes, James E.
 Hughes, John E.

Johnson, William E.

Keane, Francis J.
 Kearney, Dennis F.
 Keating, James E.
 Kelley, Arthur W.
 Kelley, Edward W.
 Kelley, William J.
 Keniry, Jeremiah
 Kent, Leo A.
 Kiley, Edward J.
 Kilmartin, James A.

Landry, Frederick A.
 Lynch, William F.
 Lyons, Patrick J.

MacRae, Walter C.
 Mahoney, John J.
 Mahoney, Thomas F.
 Mahood, John T.
 McAuliffe, Daniel F.
 McCauley, George W.
 McFadden, Alfred J.
 McGahan, Thomas L.
 McGovern, Frederick W.
 McGovern, Thomas W.
 McKenzie, John H.
 McQuilken, Clifford A.
 Meade, John J.
 Meehan, Charles P.
 Mehigan, Garrett F. J.

Mosher, Allan S.
 Murphy, Daniel F. No. 1
 Murphy, Daniel F. No. 2
 Murphy, John W.

Nelson, Ludwig
 Nicholas, Glen B.

O'Brien, John H.
 O'Brien, Patrick F.
 O'Brien, Thomas J.
 O'Connell, Daniel J.
 O'Connor, Jeremiah
 O'Keefe, John P. L.
 O'Loughlin, Michael
 Oesting, Walter C.

Phillips, George B., Jr.
 Powers, James M.
 Powers, John F.

Quinlan, William J.

Reid, Garnet L.
 Robitaille, Alfred E.
 Rogers, Francis L.
 Rogers, Frederick F.
 Rossi, Ricco J.
 Ryan, James F.
 Ryan, James P.

Scotti, James V.
 Shay, John J.
 Sheehan, Jeremiah G.
 Shepherd, Charles W.
 Silva, Frank A., Jr.
 Skeffington, Richard H.
 Smith, James L.
 Smith, John J.
 Souza, James
 Spiers, George
 Stokes, Herbert H.

Tanner, John J.

Versackas, William, Jr.

Warner, Chester F.
 Willwerth, Walter J.
 Wills, William F.

Young, Harry C.

Matron

Helen F. Kammerer

Assistant Matron

Susannah F. Bolt

The following named members of the Department are in the armed services.

- Patrolman Leo J. Gormley, U. S. Army, May 1, 1942
- *Patrolman John J. Meade, U. S. Army, June 19, 1942
- *Patrolman James P. Ryan, U. S. Army, June 30, 1942
- Patrolman Dennis F. Kearney, U. S. Coast Guard, Sept. 3, 1942
- Patrolman Jeremiah G. Brennan, U. S. Navy, March 23, 1943
- *Patrolman Leo A. Kent, U. S. Navy, July 9, 1943
- Patrolman Joseph R. Estee, U. S. Navy, June 8, 1944
- *Patrolman Walter J. Willwerth, U. S. Army, March 26, 1945
- *Patrolman John J. Donovan, U. S. Army, September 19, 1945

* In service at time of appointment and have not as yet reported for duty.

IN CONCLUSION

I wish to thank our Honorable Mayor and the members of our City Government and the various heads of Departments for their cooperation and valuable assistance throughout the year to me personally and to our department. Such attitude on their part enabled the police to better handle their many problems to the benefit of our citizens.

I also wish to thank the superior officers and every member of the Department for their valuable and continuous cooperation with me, and their whole hearted efforts to serve the public throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS DAMERY,

Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

OFFICE OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
CITY HALL MASSACHUSETTS

January 1, 1946

To His Honor, the Mayor, and the
Board of Aldermen:

The following report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures
for the year 1945 is respectfully submitted.

Work of Weights and Measures Department for 1946

Scales	Adjusted	Sealed	Not Sealed	Con- demned
Platform over 10,000.....	0	38	0	0
Platform 5,000 lbs. to 10,00.....	0	13	0	0
Platform 100 to 5,000 lbs.....	2	268	15	8
Counter 100 lbs. to 5,000.....	0	28	0	1
Counter under 100 lbs	5	305	2	8
Beam 100 lbs. to 5,000.....	0	6	1	0
Beam under 100 lbs.	0	0	1	0
Spring 100 to 5,000	1	58	0	1
Spring under 100 lbs.	1	350	4	6
Computing 100 lbs. to 5,000.....	0	3	0	0
Computing under 100 lbs.	1	455	3	6
Personal Weighing (Slot)	0	90	0	7
Prescription	0	51	0	0
Jewelers	0	4	0	0
Weights:				
Avoirdupois	8	1402	0	0
Apothecary and Troy	0	563	0	0
Metric	0	127	0	0
Capacity Measure:				
Vehicle Tanks	0	1	0	0
Liquid over 1 gallon	0	26	0	0
Liquid under 1 gallon	0	295	0	9
Oil Jars	0	10	0	0
Dry	0	3	0	0
Fuel Baskets	0	8	0	0

Scales	Adjusted	Sealed	Not Sealed	Condemned
Automatic Measuring Devices:				
Gasoline Pumps	0	0	0	0
Quantity Measure on Pumps.....	0	137	0	0
Gasoline Meter Systems.....	16	285	0	39
Oil Measuring Pumps	0	40	213	1
Tank Meter Systems	48	115	5	0
Bulk Meter Systems	0	24	5	0
Kerosene Pumps	0	0	0	0
Grease Measuring Devices	0	80	17	2
Grease Meters	0	33	0	2
Linear Measure:				
Yard Sticks	0	83	6	8
Cloth Measuring Devices.....	0	2	0	0
Taxi Meters	0	1	0	1
Total	83	4905	272	104

Summary of Inspection made:

Clinical Thermometers	677
Coal Certificates	2
Ice Scales	1
Junk Scales	0
Marking of Bread	6
Marking of Food Packages	66
Metal Ice Cream Containers	0
Milk Jars	450
Oil Jars	927
Paper or Fibre Cartons	0
Pedlers' License	3
Pedlers' Scales	1
Transient Vendors	2
Wholesale Milk Cans.....	230
Taxi Meters	0
Fuel Meters	0
Gas Pumps and Meters	0
Coal in Paper Bags	0
Kindling Wood in Paper Bags	0
Oil Measures (5 gallons)	4

Summary of Tests made:

Berry Baskets	0
Cartons (approved as measures)	0
Gasoline Devices (other than Sealings)	39
Ice Cream Cartons	0
Scales in Stores	33
Tax Meters (other than Sealing)	0
Fuel Meters (other than Sealing)	12

Applications inspected and signed for Special Licenses:

Special City Licenses	6
County	53
State	21
Disabled Veterans	5
Transfers	0
Total	85

Gasoline Station Test:

Total number of calls	98
Number of different stations	95
Number of call-backs to stations previously inspected....	5
Number of Gallons drawn for tests	3245

Trial weighings and measurements of commodities sold or put up for sale:

	Total No. Tested	Number Correct	—Incorrect— Under Over	
Bread	6	6	0	0
Butter	48	48	0	0
Coal (in paper bags)	0	0	0	0
Coal (in transit)	2	0	0	2
Confectionery	0	0	0	0
Dry Commodities	106	90	2	14
Flour	9	9	0	0
Fruits and Vegetables	27	22	2	3
Ice	0	0	0	0
Lard	8	8	0	0
Meat and Provisions	49	35	1	13
Potatoes	33	12	4	17
Liquid Commodities	0	0	0	0
Total	288	230	9	49

Miscellaneous:

Court Cases	0
Complaints investigated	0

1945 has brought to the world that long hoped for peace. With it should come the end of rationing of essential materials which are vital to weighing and measuring devices, acquiring necessary precision to give accurate and lasting results.

It is my earnest desire to replace much out of date and inadequate testing devices, which have been a part of this department since Somerville became incorporated.

In concluding his fifth annual report, the sealer of weights and measures desires to express to his honor, the mayor and the members of the board of aldermen his sincere thanks for their combined co-operation,

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. CASEY

Sealer, Weights and Measures

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEAL

January 31, 1946

To the Honorable, the Mayor
and Board of Aldermen of
the City of Somerville.

Gentlemen :

The Board of Appeal of the City of Somerville respectfully submits the following report of its activities during the year ending December 31, 1945.

During the past year it was necessary to hold hearings and take action on twenty-five appeals taken from decisions of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, refusing to grant permits in Zoning, Building and Fire District Ordinance matters. Relief was granted in seventeen cases, six were refused, no action taken on one appeal and one carried over to 1946.

It has been the express intention of your Board at all times to act in good faith and without favor or prejudice to anyone, and to grant relief whenever in the opinion of the Board the interests of both the city and the appellant would be most favorably served. Appeals were granted because of no great variance from the existing laws or because of unnecessary hardship which would have been suffered by the appellants.

All of the members of your Board have throughout the year made it a part of their duty, in conjunction with the work of hearing and deciding appeals, to visit the premises that would be affected by the appeal, so that when the hearing was held the members had a mental picture of just what the appellant wanted.

The powers of the Board of Appeal are regulated by statute and favorable decisions may only be made by a unani-

mous vote of the full board when in its judgment there is practical difficulty and unnecessary hardship. It is therefore incumbent upon the individual members of the Board to become thoroughly familiar with the facts in every case. This we have endeavored to do before forming our opinions and giving decisions. After favorable decisions have been rendered it is then the duty of the Building Department to enforce the conditions as stated, and it is a pleasure to report that the fullest co-operation has been received from the Commissioner of public Buildings in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. S. G. ZAHAROOOLIS, *Chairman*

ANTHONY C. ROSSELLI, *Secretary*

JOHN V. MOTTA

EDGAR J. GERRIOR

CHARLES NOBILIO, *Associate Member*

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

April 1, 1946

To the Honorable, the Mayor
and the Board of Aldermen
Somerville, Massachusetts

Gentlemen :

The Planning Board of the City of Somerville respectfully submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1945.

With David B. Nissenbaum, as chairman, and Francis Stanford, as secretary, the board met on several occasions to act upon the petitions presented to it during the year. It forwarded its recommendations to your Honorable Board for final action. All fees collected in connection with these petitions were turned over to the City Treasurer and are incorporated in his report.

It is earnestly recommended that your Honorable Board consider the advisability of accepting the provisions of Chapter 211 of the Acts of 1936, known as the Improved Method of Municipal Planning, thereby providing a wider scope of activity and authority to the present board.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID B. NISSENBAUM

Chairman

REPORT OF THE WATER COMMISSIONER

OFFICE OF THE WATER COMMISSIONER

January 1, 1946

To His Honor, the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen:

I present herewith my report for the year ending December 31, 1945.

Water Charges committed to the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes during the year 1945:

Quarterly Accounts

Committed	\$279,793.37	
Less Adjustments	385.15	
		\$279,408.22

Commercial Accounts

Committed	212,330.14
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Additional Accounts

Committed	100.00
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Service Assessments

Committed	220.00
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Maintenance Charges

Committed	667.59	
Less: Adjustments	8.00	
		659.59

TOTAL COMMITMENTS		\$492,717.95
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NOTE:—See report of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for Collections.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Water Maintenance and Extension Account

Appropriations made by the Board of Aldermen	\$110,088.25
Balance from 1944	4,439.02
Receipts	41.90

Labor and Materials for operation and maintenance:

Labor	\$60,628.37	
Personal Service	30,716.76	
Ordinary Maintenance	16,900.56	
Transferred	2,995.75	
Encumbered Balance	2,908.32	
Unencumbered Balance	419.11	
	<u>\$114,568.87</u>	<u>\$114,568.87</u>

CHAPTER NO. 44 WATER BONDS

Balance January 1, 1945	1,515.73
Balance December 31, 1945	1,515.73

WATER ASSESSMENTS

The assessment paid to the Commonwealth by this City as its proportionate part of the cost and operation of the Metropolitan Water Works for the year 1945 was as follows:

Maintenance	\$69,459.39
Interest	72,042.62
Maturing Bonds	122,215.33
Account Brookline Credit	7,435.74
Total payment for 1945	<u>\$271,153.08</u>

The amount paid by the City since the beginning in 1898 is as follows:

Sinking Fund	\$557,983.25
Maintenance	2,026,940.29
Interest	3,851,475.20
Maturing Bonds	1,246,869.82
Brookline Credit	140,189.20
Total payments to date	<u>\$7,823,457.76</u>

HYDRANTS. GATES, ETC.

Number of fire hydrants in City, January 1, 1945	1361
Number set during the year	
Number removed during the year	3
Number set during the year	3
Net increase in number of hydrants	0
Total number of fire hydrants	1361
Number of private fire hydrants, December 31, 1945	89
Number of gates in the City, January 1, 1945	3025
Number set during the year for streets	0
Number set on hydrant branches	1
Number set on blow-off branches	0
Number of gates removed	1
Net increase in number of gates	0
Total number of gates in City	3026
Number of check-valves in City, December 31, 1945	9
Number of blow-offs in City, December 31, 1945	237
Number of Waterposts in City, December 31, 1945	59
Note:—These waterposts are not in use.	
Number of drinking fountains in City, December 31, 1945	11
Number of car-sprinkler connections in City, December 31, 1945	10
Note:—These are not in use.	

OPERATING METERS, DECEMBER 31, 1945.

Size 5/8"	3/4"	1"	1 1/2"	2"	3"	4"	6"	10"	12"	Totals
13,326	268	112	39	60	18	9	3	1	1	13,837
Motor and elevator register										1
Total										13,838
Per cent of services metered										100%
Number of Services supplying Public Property										86

Water is furnished without charge to all City Departments and Municipal Buildings.

Size, number and length of services installed in 1945:

2	3/4"	Services	55'
1	1 1/2"	Service	10'
1	4"	Service	55'

The consumption of water for the city of Somerville for the year 1945, total quantity, average daily and percapita, the per capita consumption being figured on an estimated population for the year of 105,880.

Month	Gallons Per Day	Gallons Per Capita
January	10,811,500	102
February	10,650,800	101
March	10,786,200	102
April	10,066,500	95
May	10,300,600	97
June	10,788,600	102
July	11,590,500	109
August	11,549,300	109
September	11,171,600	106
October	10,909,600	103
November	10,954,700	103
December	11,212,800	106
Year 1945	10,903,100	103
Total consumption for the year 1945:		
High Service	836,088,000 Gals.	
Low-Service	3,143,552,000 Gals.	
Total City	3,979,640,000 Gals.	

SUMMARY OF PIPES AND FIXTURES OF THE WATER SYSTEM

December 31, 1945,

Feet of main pipe (approximately)	602,557
Miles of main pipe (approximately)	114.12
Services in use	13,924
Services supplying public property	86
Private Fire Supplies (sprinkler system)	118
Fire Supplies to Public Buildings	26
Public Fire Hydrants	1,361
Private Fire Hydrants	89
Sprinkler Systems installed in Public Buildings	26
Gates	3,026
Check Valves	9
Meters (including 1 motor register)	13,838
Waterposts (Not in use)	59
Car-sprinkler connections (Not in use)	10
Blow-offs	237
Drinking Fountains and Troughs	11
Total number of services required to be metered in actual use	13,838
Services supplying public property	86
Total number of services	13,924
In addition to the above there are fire supplies for private sprinkler systems, which are not required to be metered	118

The Average Daily Consumption of Water for the year 1945 was 10,903,100 gallons or 103 gallons per capita.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS

For the year ending December 31, 1945.

In form recommended by the New England Water Works Association.

Somerville Water Works

Somerville, Middlesex County, Massachusetts.

GENERAL STATISTICS

Population, Federal Census, 1940—102,304.

Date of Construction: Commenced in 1868.

By whom owned: City of Somerville.

Source of Supply: Metropolitan Water System.

Mode of supply: Water is delivered into the City's mains, both high and low pressure, by the Metropolitan Water Works.

STATISTICS OF CONSUMPTION OF WATER

Population supplies, December 31, 1945, Est. 105,880.

Average daily consumption 10,903,100 gallons.

Gallons per day to each inhabitant, 103.

Total consumption for the year 1945:

High Service	836,088,000 Gals.
Low-Service	3,143,552,000 Gals.
Total City	3,979,640,000 Gals.

STATISTICS RELATING TO DISTRIBUTING SYSTEM, 1945

Mains

Kind of Pipe, cast iron.

Sizes from 4-inch and under to 20-inch.

Total now in use, 114.12 miles.

Number of hydrants added during the year; Public, 0; Private, 0.

Number of hydrants (public and private) now in use, 1,450.

Number of gates added during the year, net increase, 1.

Number of gates now in use, 3026.

Number of blow-offs, 237.

Range of pressure on mains, 35 pounds to 100 pounds.

Services

Kind of Pipe; Lead, lead-lined wrought iron, cement-lined wrought iron, cast iron, brass, copper tubing, tubeloy, and galvanized.

Sizes, one-half to eight inches.

Number of service connections made, 4.

Services in use, 13,924.

Number of private fire supplies (sprinkler systems), 118.

Number of meters now in use, 13,837.

Percentage of services metered, 100% (Public services not metered).

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY F. O'CONNELL.

Water Commissioner

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Somerville, Mass.

December 31, 1945

To His Honor the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen
of the City of Somerville.

Gentlemen :

The Board of Public Welfare submits, herewith, reports
of the General Agent, the Warden of the City Home and the
City Physician, with tables showing the work.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE I. McNAMARA, *Chairman*
EDWARD L. CONDON

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

ALICE I. McNAMARA, *Chairman*
JOSEPH P. McCARRON
EDWARD L. CONDON

COMMITTEES

On Finance, Investigations, Relief and City Home
MRS. McNAMARA, MR. McCARRON, AND MR. CONDON

GENERAL AGENT

CHARLES J. WILLWERTH

Social Work Supervisors, Social Workers, Principal,
Senior and Junior Clerks, Typists and Stenographers.

(Welfare, Old Age Assistance and Aid to Dependent Children Depts.)

JOSEPH E. DOW
WILLIAM T. CASEY
DOROTHY C. WATKINS
ELMER E. HASELTON
FRANK L. FITZGERALD
WILLIAM J. KEELEY
JOSEPH A. MACDONALD
WILLIAM J. MAHONEY
ECIO L. LUCIANO, (Military Service)
MAURICE BREEN, (Military Service)
JOHN H. SINGLETON, (Military Service)
JOHN J. BRENNAN, (Military Service)
J. ARTHUR OUELLETTE
JOHN F. ROCHE
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JOSEPH BRADLEY
EILEEN T. BREEN
DOROTHY F. WHITE, (Military Service)
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MARY O'BRIEN

CITY PHYSICIAN

VIRO GIOEBE, M.D.

ASSISTANT CITY PHYSICIANS

JOHN M. TAVARES, M.D., (Military Service)

EDWARD M. MCCARTHY, M.D.

BERJ H. ARZOUMANIAN, M.D.

BENJAMIN BLESOFF, M.D.

HENRY S. ROBINSON, M.D.

MARIE A. HANRAHAN, R.N.

MARY G. WELCH, MED. & DENT. ASST.

WARDEN AND MATRON, CITY HOME

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE GOODRICH

REPORT OF THE GENERAL AGENT

City Hall

January 31, 1946

Board of Public Welfare
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The General Agent submits the following as his report
for the year ending December 31, 1945.

Table No. 1

Indoor Relief

(FULL SUPPORT)

City Home (Male, 75; Female, 38)	112
State Infirmary (Tewksbury)	20
Lakeville Sanitarium	2

(PARTIAL SUPPORT)

Local Hospitals (Central, Somerville, Sunnyside)	
Cases Hospitalized	92
Out patient treatments	42

Cases aided to hospitalization in other Cities and Towns (chargeable to Somerville in 1945)	41
Cases aided in Convalescent Homes	12
Cases aided in all other institutions (not included above)	22
Number of Burials during 1945	7

Table No. 2

No. of cases aided Jan. 1, 1945	183
No. of cases aided during 1945	439
No. of cases aided in other Cities and Towns (chargeable to Somerville in 1945)	42
No. of cases aided Dec. 31, 1945	196

Table No. 3

Children Boarded

In Private Families	6
Through Division of Child Guardianship	24

Table No. 4

RECAPITULATION

Welfare Miscellaneous

Total expenditures, 1945	\$153,897.81
Refunds and transfers	4,774.98
Net cost to Welfare Dept.	\$149,122.83
Reimbursements	28,271.76
Net cost to City	\$120,851.07

Reimbursements

Commonwealth of Mass.	\$16,004.63
Cities and Towns	7,141.60
Welfare Clinic	350.55
	\$23,496.78
Refunds	\$4,731.73
Transfers	43.25
	4,774.98
	\$28,271.76

Table No. 5

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

No. of cases, January 1, 1945	142
No. of cases, December 31, 1945	170
No. of (dependent) children aided during 1945 (201 families)	566

Amount allowed each family from \$8.00 per month to \$180.20 per month	\$160,275.13
Administrative expense	8,483.98
Miscellaneous	28.06
Gross expenditures	<u>\$168,787.17</u>

Table No. 6

Reimbursements

U. S. Federal Grants	\$36,100.10
Commonwealth of Mass.	47,001.43
Refunds	442.30
	<u>\$83,543.83</u>
Gross expenditures	\$168,787.17
Refunds and reimbursements	83,543.83
Net cost to City	<u>\$85,243.34</u>

Table No. 7

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

No. of cases, January 1, 1945	1314
No. of cases, December 31, 1945	1357
Gross expenditures, O. A. A. Bureau, 1945	\$719,709.88
Grants, refunds and recoveries	274,800.37
Net cost to O. A. A. Bureau	<u>\$444,909.51</u>
Reimbursements from State and Cities and Towns.....	352,935.12
Net cost to City	<u>\$91,974.39</u>

Table No. 8

Reimbursements

U. S. Federal Grants	\$272,379.88
Refunds and Recoveries	2,420.49
	<u>\$274,800.37</u>
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$324,382.13
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	
Meal tax	18,583.81
Cities and Towns	9,969.18
	<u>\$352,935.12</u>
Total reimbursements	<u>\$627,735.49</u>

POPULATION AND GROSS EXPENDITURES, 1935 thru 1945

Year	Population	Welfare	City Home	A. D. C.	O. A. A.	Totals
1935	100,773	\$551,351.15	\$13,722.16			\$565,073.31
1936	100,773	897,986.79	15,238.88			913,225.67
1937	100,773	924,302.76	16,957.13	\$97,511.63	\$397,203.74	1,435,975.26
1938	100,773	875,654.35	16,740.71	154,851.97	464,592.63	1,511,839.66
1939	100,773	842,163.70	16,590.48	158,930.39	524,758.50	1,542,443.07
1940	105,000	769,452.31	17,359.02	163,102.51	534,405.27	1,484,319.11
1941	105,000	446,195.74	16,927.91	171,358.23	541,864.00	1,176,345.88
1942	105,000	349,640.74	17,523.97	170,298.86	578,141.50	1,115,605.07
1943	105,000	195,794.28	19,671.71	132,193.20	615,477.63	963,136.82
1944	105,000	149,427.33	20,757.56	135,464.96	658,940.37	964,590.22
1945	105,882	153,897.81	21,673.44	168,787.17	719,709.88	1,064,068.30

REPORT OF THE WARDEN OF THE CITY HOME

March 1, 1946

Board of Public Welfare
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I submit the following as the report of the Warden of the City Home for the year ending, December 31, 1945.

Table No. 1

Number of weeks' board of inmates	2,029-4
Number of males admitted during 1945	43
Number of females admitted during 1945	20
Number of males discharged during 1945	39
Number of females discharged during 1945	17
Number of males supported during 1945	75
Number of females supported during 1945	37
Number of males died during 1945	2
Number of females died during 1945	4
Number of inmates in Home, December 31, 1945.....	49
Number of children cared for during 1945	4
Number of day's care of children during 1945	28

Table No. 2

City Home Hospital

Number of weeks' board of inmates	470-2
Number of patients admitted during 1945	65
Number of patients in hospital, December 31, 1945	12

Table No. 3

Total expenditures and transfers, 1945.....	\$21,673.44
Refunds and reimbursements	5,555.56
Net cost to City	<u>\$16,117.88</u>

Reimbursements

Sale of Produce	\$1,113.67
Reimbursements from Cities and Towns	763.02
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1,893.66
Individuals	1,760.21
Refunds	<u>25.00</u>
Total reimbursements	<u>\$5,555.56</u>

REPORT OF THE CITY PHYSICIAN

February 21, 1946

To the Board of Public Welfare
Somerville, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I submit the following as the report of the City Physician
for the year ending December 31, 1945.

Patients treated at Clinic, January 1, thru December 31, 1945	8,421
(Includes Old Age Assistance, Soldiers Relief, Aid to Dependent Children, Vaccinations and Emergencies.)	
Patients treated at home, January 1, thru December 31, 1945	5,236
(Includes all of above types of cases, plus City Infirmary and Police and Fire Depts.)	

Respectfully submitted

CIRO GIOBBE, M.D.

City Physician

During the year 1945 there was a slight increase in case loads. The case load for all categories of relief in December 1944 was 1630, while in December 1945 it was 1709. A further increase in case load is anticipated for 1946 because of the liberalization of the Old Age Assistance laws, plus the return to our rolls of many physically handicapped persons who were able, owing to the man power shortage, to obtain employment during war time, and who with changed conditions, will be discharged.

All categories of relief have been increased during this year, to meet the high cost of living.

Our rehabilitation program has been continued as in other years with many correctional devices, glasses, artificial limbs and hearing aids and the like being procured. The cooperation of the State Department of Education Rehabilitation Bureau in cases referred to them is worthy of mention. We continue to investigate any and all cases referred to us by the different draft boards and service connected agencies. During 1945 we investigated 112 cases.

The expenditures under the category of Miscellaneous Welfare for the year 1944 was \$145,998.82 and for the year 1945, \$149,122.83 an increase of \$3,124.01. The Welfare Miscellaneous case load for 1945 is as follows:

January	181
February	177
March	176
April	175
May	175
June	176
July	174
August	174
September	190
October	194
November	205
December	196

The expenditures under Aid to Dependent Children for the year 1944 were \$135,128.91 and for 1945, \$168,344.87 an increase of \$33,215.96.

The expenditures in Old Age Assistance for the year 1944 were \$656,489.65 and for 1945 \$717,289.39 an increase of \$60,799.74.

The Aid to Dependent Children case load in December 1944 was 144, while in December 1945 it was 170.

The Old Age Assistance case load in December 1944 was 1303, and in December 1945 it was 1343.

Many changes in the law affecting Old Age Assistance have been made this year, among them being the allowing of a physician of choice, and the increased exemption on children liable for support, making it a net rather than a gross basis. A substantial increase in the Old Age Assistance costs is anticipated in 1946.

Our employment division activity during the past year is worthy of mention. During this year, 204 persons were placed in gainful employment through the efforts of this division. Most of the cases so placed would have to be aided by our department if not placed. We enjoy the enviable position of having the least per capita case load of any city or town in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts on our Temporary Aid cases. This is due, I believe, to the efforts of our employment division, and to our unceasing efforts at rehabilitation.

In the dispensing of relief in any of its forms, the basic consideration is need. The need exists for many causes. Among the most prevalent causes are unemployment, sickness or injury, old age, desertion, and non-support of families and imprisonment. The amounts of money paid out by our department because of desertion and non-support is a substantial one, and much time and energy is put in presenting these cases to the court.

During 1945 a new Personnel Compensation Plan was submitted by the Civil Service and was approved by the Board of Public Welfare and our Mayor. This plan has a minimum and a maximum salary for the different grades, with a step rate increase each year until the maximum has been reached.

The problem of caring for chronic cases such as aged and infirm and hopelessly invalided cases is one that causes us great concern. Our City Infirmary can only care for a limited number of these cases. The rest have to be institutionalized or placed in private nursing homes. Shortage of nurses and institutional help still exists, and it is difficult to find proper placement for these cases. During this year, plans were drawn and

submitted for a new City Infirmary, and I understand progress has been made in having the plans accepted; also in having the Federal Government participate in the cost of same.

During this year many of our personnel who were in the armed services of our country returned to work. We were glad to welcome them back to their duties again.

Knowing that if the causes for seeking relief are removed the case will leave our rolls, we are trying, by getting jobs for our unemployed cases, by giving proper medical care, including prosthetic devices to those in need of the same, by aiding and assisting our Domestic Relations Officer in bringing to justice those who are guilty of abandonment, neglect, desertion and non-support, to bring our case load down to normal bounds. We fully realize the responsibilities which are ours in caring for the needy, and we feel that many measures have been taken to safeguard the taxpayers interest. Our aim for the new year will be to give adequate relief to those in need, and to safeguard the taxpayers by intelligent case work.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. WILLWERTH

General Agent

REPORT OF THE LICENSING COMMISSION

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the
Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville.

Gentlemen:

The following factual information is respectfully submitted as the Annual Report of the Licensing Commission for the year ending December 31, 1945.

Joseph D. Lonergan was elected as Chairman of the Commission for 1945. Ralph B. Jones was appointed by the Mayor, approved by the Board of Aldermen and sworn in on August 7, 1945 for a term of three years.

The following table will show the number of licenses permissible by law as compared with the number of licenses that have been granted and are now in effect.

	All Forms Pkg.	All Forms Resta.	Beer & Wine Resta & Pkg.	Clubs	Druggists
Allowed by Law	21	82	21	13	unlimited
Issued by Commission	21	69	10	7	6
Balance to Issue	0	13	11	6	unlimited

During the year the Commission received the following applications:—

For a 1945 License:

- 11—Applications for Beer & Wine Package Goods Store, Not To Be Drunk on the Premises, License—"Granted" one of these which was approved by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission—voted "Leave to Withdraw" on nine of the applications, one applicant appealed to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission and was "Granted" a license—one applicant withdrew application—an application filed in 1944 was not "Approved by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission until 1945, therefore three new Beer & Wine Package Goods Store, Not To be Drunk on the Premises, Licenses were issued in 1945.

- 1—Application for All Forms Alcoholic, Druggist, Section 30-A License—applicant withdrew application.
- 5—Applications for All Forms Alcoholic, To Be Drunk on the Premises, License and Common Victualler's License—"Granted" one which the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission "Disapproved"—Voted on two of these "Leave to Withdraw" on the Alcoholic Application and "Granted" on the Common Victualler's Application—two of the applicants withdrew applications.
- 1—Application for All Forms Club License—voted "Leave to Withdraw".

For a 1946 License:

- 9—Applications for Beer & Wine Package Goods Store, Not To Be Drunk on the Premises, License—voted "Leave to Withdraw".
- 3—Applications for All Forms Alcoholic, To Be Drunk on the Premises, License and a Common Victualler's License—voted on one of these "Leave to Withdraw" on the Alcoholic Application and "Granted" on the Common Victualler's Application—two applicants withdrew application.
- 1—Application for All Forms Club License—voted "Leave to Withdraw".

The established policy of the Commission relative to routine matters of officer procedure have not materially changed. The Commission after inspection and consideration decided to continue their policy of restricting, so called, entertainment in all restaurants. Only the radio and music box were allowed for the year with two exceptions; on Coyne's Sportsmen's Grill, Inc., which was issued a Full Entertainment License and a Dance License for the year and P. J.'s Grill Inc., which was issued a Full Entertainment License from December 18th to December 31, 1945.

A general inspection of all restaurants brought out the fact that all establishments are now equipped with adequate toilet and washing facilities. All licensees with a few exceptions have co-operated with the Commission most satisfactorily during the year.

We acknowledge the splendid co-operation and whole hearted support given our Commission by our inspectors Captain Augustus Sharry of the Police Department and Henry T. Murray, Sr., of the Board of Health Department. We also wish to acknowledge the efficient and faithful service of our clerk, Mary I. Kenney.

An itemized report of fees received during the year ending December 31, 1945 is as follows:—

**REPORT OF THE LICENSING COMMISSION
FOR THE YEAR 1945**

Licenses Granted and Fees Received:

69 Renewals—(1946) All Forms Restaurant License	\$800.00	\$55,200.00
3 Renewals (1946) Beer & Wine Restaurant License	400.00	1,200.00
21 Renewals (1946) All Forms Pkg. Goods Store License	700.00	14,700.00
7 Renewals (1946) Beer & Wine Pkg. Goods Store License	300.00	2,100.00
3 New Licenses (1945) Beer & Wine Pkg. Goods Store License	300.00	900.00
6 Renewals (1946) Druggist—Section 30-A License	300.00	1,800.00
7 Renewals (1946) All Forms Club License	150.00	1,050.00
71 Renewals (1946) Entertainment License ..	5.00	355.00
1 Renewal (1946) Entertainment License ..	1.00	1.00
192 Lord's Day License	5.00	960.00
131 Common Victualler's License	5.00	655.00
13 Special Alcoholic License	5.00	65.00
31 Special Alcoholic License	1.00	31.00
1 Garage License	2.00	2.00
1 Transfer Common Victualler's License (moved)	1.00	1.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$79,020.00
EXPENSES		3,114.95
NET TOTAL REVENUE of the DEPARTMENT		\$75,905.05

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH D. LONERGAN, *Chairman*
JOHN C. HARRINGTON, *Commissioner*
RALPH B. JONES, *Commissioner*

Attest:

MARY I. KENNEY
Clerk

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

January 1, 1946

To the Honorable, the Mayor
and the Board of Aldermen:

The following report is respectfully submitted as the Annual Report of the Board of Assessors for the year ending December 31, 1945:

CITY OF SOMERVILLE—1945 RECAPITULATION

A. City or Town: All appropriations since 1944 Tax Rate was fixed.

1. Total to be raised by taxation	\$5,564,675.06	
2. Total from available funds:		
(a) 1945	\$336,578.67	
(b) 1944	205,981.97	
	542,560.64	
3. Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay of prior years.		
(1939)	\$4.00	4.00

B. State: Tax and Assessments.

	1945 Estimates	1944 Underestimates
1. State Tax	\$117,300.00	
2. State Audit of Municipal Accounts	2,050.98	
3. Care of Civil War Vets....	157.65	
4. Smoke Inspection Service	1,045.50	
5. Add'l. State Assessments..	428,762.64	177.17
	\$549,316.77	\$177.17
		\$549,493.94

C. County: Tax and Assessments:

1. County Tax	145,745.65	
2. Tuberculosis Hospital	68,506.76	
	214,252.41	
Assessments		214,252.41

D. Overlay of current year

108,002.52

E. Gross amount to be raised

\$6,978,988.57

F. Estimated receipts and Available Funds:

1. Income Tax	\$347,174.33
2. Corporation Taxes	212,381.85
3. Gasoline Tax	102,586.16
4. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	59,750.60
5. Licenses	96,501.95
6. Fines	3,447.81
7. Grants and Gifts	5,010.00
(C. of M. Americanization)	
8. General Government	9,386.90
8. Protection of Persons and Property	1,519.43
10. Health and Sanitation	27,172.29
11. Highways	369.50
12. Charities	85,217.40
13. Old Age Assistance	268,684.96
14. Old Age Tax, Meals	12,505.26
15. Veterans' Aid & Pensions	19,202.50
16. Schools	49,484.30
17. Libraries	3,447.94
18. Recreation	316.25
19. Public Service Enterprises	501,735.92
20. Interest: On Taxes and Assessments	16,982.04
21 Tax Title Interest Re- funds, etc.	1,500.00
22. Electrolysis	750.00
23. Dog Licenses	4,675.25

Total Estimated Receipts \$1,829,802.64

24. Overestimates of prev. year

(a) Hospital or Home care for Civil War Vets.	\$83.21	\$83.21
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25. Amounts to be taken from
available funds:

(a) July 3, 1944	\$48,085.77
(b) July 18, 1944	7,899.97
(c) August 1, 1944	2,500.00
(d) September 22, 1944	1,492.40
(e) October 3, 1944	6,433.20
(f) October 17, 1944	1,095.27
(g) November 6, 1944	11,404.33
(h) November 10, 1944	12,410.32
(i) November 14, 1944	50,000.00
(j) November 15, 1944	4,211.81
(k) Nivember 30, 1944	890.00
(l) December 14, 1944	31,655.91
(m) December 22, 1944	1,100.00
(n) December 29, 1944	26,802.99
(o) January 5, 1945	76,100.91
(p) April 2, 1945	1,350.00
(q) April 4, 1945	7,450.00
(r) April 18, 1945	1,368.74
(s) April 25, 1945	6,691.90
(t) May 18, 1945	16,319.05
(u) May 31, 1945	212,109.01
(v) June 4, 1945	15,189.06

\$542,560.64

Total Available Funds

\$2,372,446.49

G. Net amount to be raised by Taxation on Polls and Property		4,606,542.08
	Taxes	
H. Number of Polls: 34,604 at \$2.00 ea. \$69,208. Poll	69,208.00	
J. Total Valuation: Pers. Property \$7,840,100.		
Pers. Prop.	304,195.88	
(Tax Rate \$38.80) Real Estate 109,101,500.		
Real Estate	4,233,138.20	
Total Taxes levied on Polls and Property		\$4,606,542.08
Total amount of 1945 taxes on polls and property and of assessments added to taxes as committed to Collector		\$4,606,542.08

The Board of Assessors wishes to thank the other departments for the co-operation extended during the year, particularly to the Legal Department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES R. BRUNELLE
 MAURICE F. AHEARN
 FRANCIS MACDONALD
 WINFIELD S. PATTERSON
 JOHN B. CARR

Board of Assessors.

REPORT OF THE SANITARY DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable, the Mayor
and the Board of Aldermen of
the City of Somerville.

Gentlemen:—

The report of the Sanitary Department for the year 1945 is respectfully submitted herewith:

COLLECTION OF ASHES AND REFUSE

	Loads	Yards	Tons
January	2300	14,950	5175
February	2200	14,300	4950
March	2280	14,820	5130
April	2100	13,650	4725
May	2060	13,390	4635
June	2000	13,000	4500
July	1820	11,830	4095
August	1720	11,180	3870
September	1680	10,920	3780
October	2300	14,950	5175
November	2500	16,250	5625
December	2460	15,990	5535
TOTALS	25,420	165,230	57,195

COLLECTION OF PAPER

	Yards	Tons
January	4725	630
February	4875	650
March	4500	600
April	4350	580
May	4575	610
June	4725	630
July	4200	560
August	4050	540
September	4350	580
October	4650	620
November	4875	650
December	5025	670
TOTALS	54,900	7,320

The above figures are approximate and are based on the general average of amounts carried by the trucks.

The ashes and refuse are being collected with motor trucks on account of the distance to the Medford dumps, which are being used by this department subject to the rules and regulations of the Board of Health of the City of Medford.

There is a general increase in the amount of ashes being collected due to the fact so many householders converted their heaters from oil to coal.

The trucks in this department have been operating for sixteen years and it is almost impossible to do the work with them, parts are hard to get and I would appreciate it if new equipment was purchased.

The total estimated collection of garbage amounted to 4,000 cords. On August 1, 1942 the city entered into a new garbage contract, the contractor agreeing to furnish trucks and Chauffeurs, the City supplying the Laborers and collections to be same as previously—two collections a week throughout the year from private dwellings and three times a week from restaurants, stores, etc.

The department as a whole is operating efficiently and with the citizens co-operation we shall continue to carry on in the usual manner.

I wish to thank His Honor the Mayor, the Board of Aldermen and the employees of my department for their co-operation extended during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. MESKELL

Superintendent, Sanitary Dept.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS

February 8, 1946

Hon. G. Edward Bradley
Mayor of Somerville.
My dear Mr. Mayor:

On a list of several sheets attached hereto please find a report of the activities of the Building Department for the year 1945, in so far as the care, maintenance, alteration and repair of the schools and municipal buildings owned by the City of Somerville.

We spent in 1945 for ordinary maintenance in school buildings the sum of \$74,239.71 and there are thirty school buildings. This means that we expended for ordinary maintenance on each building approximately \$2460.00. When you consider that some of these buildings are worth anywhere from a million to a million and a half dollars and the smallest and the least expensive school buildings is worth in the neighborhood of fifty thousand dollars you can readily see that the amount of money spent per school building for ordinary maintenance is pretty meager. It is safe to assume that the replacement cost of our school buildings to-day would be better than \$10,000,000.00 and there is allotted to the Building Department for the maintenance, upkeep and repairs of these buildings the sum of a little less than \$75,000. or $\frac{3}{4}$ of one percent. You can realize that it is a very, very low maintenance cost and as a result the necessary repairs must by necessity be curtailed.

Glass breakage continues to be most serious problem. Boiler systems, ventilating systems, electric motors and fans, all necessary to provide satisfactory heat for the children, are antique, inefficient and unsatisfactory. Considerable repairs must be done this year. Floors, halls, stairs and other escape facilities are badly in need of necessary repairs.

As the following list will show you something has been done in every school building and we have striven to do our utmost to make emergency repairs and to do emergency work. I think that you as Mayor should be quite proud of the fact that you have at all times given consideration to the needs of the children and have done all that you could to make the attendance in our public school system as comfortable as possible conducive with the limited amount of money available, the scarcity of materials, the scarcity of skilled labor, the curtailed productivity of skilled labor and the many other problems which have entered in to the care of public buildings during your regime as Mayor.

I firmly believe that if the people at large were appraised of the fact that you inherited these public buildings which were badly in need of repairs and which were prominently mentioned in my report to you of February, 1944 the citizens of this city would realize what a great accomplishment you have achieved.

Here below please find the list of buildings and the repairs on them.

BAXTER SCHOOL

Electrical repairs.
Replaced transformer and adjusted bells.
Repaired leaks in steam line, steam coils and general repairs to boiler.
Refinished desk tops in all rooms.
Set 22 lights of glass.
Renewed window cords in all rooms.
Painted toilet seats.

BENNETT SCHOOL

Painted and varnished toilet seats and all doors.
Replaced window cords.
Repaired boilers, also brick work.
Set all glass.

BINGHAM SCHOOL

Repaired toilets and painted same.
Relined boiler furnaces.
Replaced boilers and steam lines, repacked all valves.
Renewed all window cords.
Repaired desks and chairs.
Repaired sump pump.
Repaired electric lines entire building.
Painted all doors.
Repaired fence and toilet partitions.
Checked gas leaks.
Set all glass.

BROWN SCHOOL

Repaired fan and other electrical lines in building.
Mason work on boilers.
Repaired fresh air ducts and put new window in same.
Heating system fully repaired.
Set 120 lights of glass.
Painted toilets and doors.
Renewed window cords.
Repaired ventilation in roof stacks.
New doors on Josephine Avenue side.

BURNS SCHOOL

Removed loose plaster and renewed the same in entire building.
Painted walls and ceilings in entire building.
Repaired fence in yard.
Painted all outside doors.
Set 30 lights of glass.
Repaired boiler and brick work.
Repaired roof and ventilators.
Repaired foul air ducts.
Plumbing repairs.
All wood work varnished.
Repaired sprinkler system.
Retubed one boiler and installed drips.

CARR SCHOOL

Set 150 lights of glass.
Repaired ash hoist.
Mason work on boilers.
Repaired water pipes and bubblers.
Repaired feed line to boilers.
Renewed tubes and general repairs to boilers.
Radiator valves renewed and repacked.
Roof repairs and new smoke stack in chimney.
Packed pump.
Full repair job on steam pipes and radiators.
Repaired lights and switches.
Repaired pump.
Painted and varnished toilet seats.
Painted walls around all bubblers.
Painted all doors outside.

CENTRAL HEATING PLANT

Renewed tubes in boiler.
Renewed brick work.
Renewed copper floats in automatic water feeders.
Renewed blow down lines of boilers.
Repaired steel door of boiler room.
Repaired ash hoist.
Painted garage doors.
Set 60 lights of glass.
Repaired roof over boilers.
Repaired elevator.

CUMMINGS SCHOOL

Painted and varnished all toilets and all doors.
Repaired roof leaks.
Replaced grates in boiler.
Repaired all flushometers and regulated same.
Repaired all steam and radiator valves.
Repaired stoker.
Repaired door checks.
Repaired toilets and traps.
Set 40 lights of glass.
Repaired drain.

CUTLER SCHOOL

Motor repair.
Repaired floors and put down some new floors.
Repaired broken wall radiators.
Fixed folding doors.
Moved toilets from downstairs, upstairs, full repair to same.
Repaired bubblers, flushometers and water lines.
Repair of all boilers and steampipes.
Electrical repairs to entire building.
Mason work in basement.
Install new fire alarm system in entire building.
Set 81 lights of glass.
Painted all outside doors.
Repaired program bells.
Patched all plaster holes.
Painted and varnished all toilets.
Replaced all window cords.
Pump installed.
Connected duplex pump.

DURELL SCHOOL

All desks refinished.
Painted partitions in toilets also all seats in school.
Painted all outside doors and placed panic bolts on same.
Repaired all window cords.
Mason work on all boilers.
All electrical repairs were made.
Set 30 lights of glass.

FORSTER SCHOOL

Plumbing repairs.
Repaired flushometers.
Changed water and gas lines.
Patched plaster.
Painted boys toilet.
Changed radiators in boys toilet.
Repaired supply to stack room.
Patined toilet seats.
New urinal in boys toilet.
Repaired roof, also painted roof.
Painted all exit doors.
All steam repairs completed.
Set up room of furniture.
Repaired all window cords.
Necessary electrical repairs.
Set 103 lights of glass.

Repaired valves and packed valves.
Installed 5 urinals.
Built new partition in boys basement.
Fixed draft system.

FORSTER ANNEX

Repaired ducts for radiation.
Fixed motor for pump.
Install 4 wall radiators.

GLINES SCHOOL

Installed 15 H. P. Motor.
Repaired heating fan.
Checked master clock.
Repaired dampers.
Checked plumbing and flush tanks.
Painted and varnished toilet seats.
Renewed window cords.
Set 138 lights of glass.
Mason work on boilers and new steam lines.
Repaired furniture.
Painted outside doors.
Patched plaster.
Plastered wall in kindergarten.
Installed 2 wall radiators.
Installed forced draft system.

GRIMMONS SCHOOL

Repaired electric lights.
Repaired all steam lines and boilers also dampers, valves and coils in basement.
Screened front windows to stop breakage of glass.
Painted and varnished toilet seats and doors.
Set 148 lights of glass.

HANSCOM SCHOOL

Replaced vents and radiators, returned pipes, repacked valves.
Checked flush tanks and flushometers.
Cleared stoppage in toilets.
Mason work on boilers.
Repaired doors and windows.
Painted doors and toilets.
Replaced gauge on pump.
Set all broken glass.
Replaced pipe coils in classroom.
General plumbing.
Repaired steps.

HIGHLAND SCHOOL

Set 45 lights of glass.
Repaired doors and windows.
Put steel cleanout in front of boilers.
Repaired bells and clocks.
Regulated flushometers and checked plumbing.

Repaired air vents and put on new air valves.
Painted and varnished toilet seats.
Painted sight-saving room ceilings and walls and put in new light.
Repaired boilers.

HODGKINS SCHOOL

Repaired boilers and renewed coils in basement.
Mason work on boilers.
Patched plaster where needed.
Repacked all valves.
Repaired fence and removed stumps in yard.
Repaired all broken plumbing lines.
Repaired window cords.
Repaired furniture in all rooms.

KNAPP SCHOOL

Repaired floors, doors, windows and furniture.
Painted toilets.
Replaced switches and fuses.
All plumbing repaired.
Boiler's put in working condition.
Set 50 lights of glass.
Repaired steam.
Excavated for steam line and finished concrete.

HIGH SCHOOL

Repaired locks and door checks.
Repaired plaster in gymnasium.
Repaired plumbing and drains in cafeteria.
Repaired furniture, desks, chairs and benches.
Set 300 lights of glass.
Mason work on boilers.
Repaired bomber hinges and broken doors.
Repaired hand rails.
Repaired plaster in all parts of building.
Repaired lights and switches all over building.
Repaired bleachers and set them up in gymnasium.
Repaired lockers and metal partitions.
Painted stage of gymnasium also front Foyer.
Repaired tables and chairs in cafeteria.
Repaired motors.
Painted fixtures and furniture in emergency room.
Repairing roof.
Repaired linoleum in hall and stairway.
Repaired wash basins, bubblers and toilets.
Repaired ventilation on roof.
Repaired curtain in hall.
Repaired steamlines, radiators, valves, flanges, etc.
Connected gas line in basement.
Repaired electrical receptacles in gymnasium.
Sheet metal work done.
Repaired grills on windows.
Put up rail on steps of gymnasium.
Painted all doors.
Plumbing repairs in Household Arts.
Frigidaire repaired in Household Arts.
General repairs now going on.

LOWE SCHOOL

Repaired gratings in yard.
Electrical repairs.
Boilers and steamline repairs.
Mason work on boilers.
Plumbing and roof repairs.
Set 25 lights of glass.
Painted toilet seats and doors.

MORSE SCHOOL

Cleared drain.
Repaired roof and conductors.
Renewed some window sashes.
Set 200 lights of glass.
Replaced window cords
Repaired lights and switches.
Painted toilet seats.
Painted doors.
Made all steam repairs including packing of valves, etc.
Made all plumbing repairs.

NEW VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Necessary repairs to boilers and stokers.
Necessary repairs to plumbing and steamfitting.
Repaired tar and gravel roof.
Installed new elements in fire alarm battery. New Ash pit.
Repaired chain link fence.
Moved sink in paint shop.
Repaired slate slabs in boy's toilets.
Mason work on boilers.

NORTHEASTERN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Installed light fixtures in hall.
Repaired fire alarm system.
Painted auditorium, front hall, varnished woodwork and dressing rooms.
Installed new lighting system.
Installed new curtains.
Installed new hot water boiler.
Repaired window cords.
Changed sink in boiler room.
Repaired leaky pipes.
Cleaned all drains.
Landscape work on grass and hedges.
Repaired all plumbing including flushometers.
Changed dish washing machine.
Repaired doors and door checks and panic bolts. Painted offices.
Mason work on boilers.
Installed rectifier in fire alarm system.
Necessary repairs to boilers and steam lines.
Installing new line of lights in room 303.
Repaired dumbwaiter.
Set 132 lights of glass.

PERRY SCHOOL

Repaired and finished all desks.
Inside of building painted and varnished throughout.
All boiler repairs done.
Repaired grill work.
Repaired all plumbing.
Repaired electrical work and fire alarm bells.
Repaired boilers and all steam lines.
Set 70 lights of glass.

POPE SCHOOL

Repaired wire fence.
Repaired copper gutter in part.
Repaired boilers and all steam lines.
Set 195 lights of glass.
Replaced window cords.
Painted toilets and outside doors.
Installed 24 volt transformer and changed to A. C.

PRESCOTT SCHOOL

Set 175 lights of glass.
Repaired boilers.
Electrical repairs.
Repaired wire fence.
Repaired doors.
Replaced window cords.
Patched plaster.
All carpenter repairs.
Repaired door checks.
Installed heater.

PROCTOR SCHOOL

Repaired boiler and steam lines.
Mason work on boilers.
Electrical repairs.
Set 35 lights of glass.
Bricked in two basement stairways.
Painted all doors.

SOUTHERN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Repairs to furniture.
Installed window cords.
Electrical repairs including fire alarm bells.
Painted doors and floor of cafeteria.
Repaired door checks.
Roof repairs.
Repaired telephones.
Repaired steel partitions in toilets.
Repaired wood partitions in toilets.
Built storeroom of brick for Mr. Carver.
Set 98 lights of glass.
Repaired roof leaks.
Repaired sump pump.
New partition and cement block in Boys' toilet.

SOUTHWORTH BUILDING

Repaired boilers.
Electrical repairs.
Plumbing repairs.
Set 30 lights of glass.
Repaired doors.

WESTERN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Electrical repairs including bells and telephones.
Plumbing repairs of every description.
Steam repairs, radiators, etc.
Set 42 lights of glass.
Replaced window cords.
Repaired furniture and doors.
Painted all outside doors.
Painted four rooms, ceiling and walls, and varnished woodwork.
Painted Mr. Coyne's offices.
Put angles and eye beams in floor of hall west side.
Installed wall radiators (big job).
Repaired floors after steam job.
Furnished new door on fire escape.
Painted lines on Gym.
Boiler repairs.
Mason work.

BOW STREET MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Set 8 lights of glass.

CENTRAL LIBRARY

Bookbinding repairs.

CITY HALL

Repaired toilets.
Repaired furniture.
Repaired door checks.
Painted ceilings, walls and wood work in Mayor's office, also telephone booth.

CITY HOME

Repaired steam.
Repaired stoker.
Did glazing and repaired window cords.
Cement floor repairs.
Installed new sink and trap.
Cleared all traps.
Installed automatic heater.
Connected low water heater.

CONTAGIOUS HOSPITAL

Repaired boiler room.
Installed cement coal bin.
Removed wooden coal bin.
Repaired skylight.
Electrical repairs.
Glazing.

FOSS PARK

Repaired roof.

GLEN STREET PLAY GROUND

Repaired oil burner also steam boiler.
Replaced parts on showers.
Necessary plumbing.
Set all glass.
Repaired drains.

HIGHWAY STABLES

Checked boilers.
Electrical and plumbing repairs.
Removed dormer and patched roof.
Tore down shed that was damaged.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Painted windows and all of the Clinic ceilings, walls, etc.
Renovated heating system.
Fixed counter.
Repaired lavatory and drain pipes.
Fixed water cooler.

LINCOLN PARK

Plumbing repairs.
Repaired skylight.

NEW POLICE STATION

Electrical repairs.
Repaired pump.
Plumbing repairs.
Installed regulator valves.
Repaired all traps.
Repairing heating mains.
Painted ceilings and walls in offices.
Set glass.
Repaired stoker.

POWDER HOUSE PARK

Set glass.
Installed new oil tank.
Plumbing repairs.
Repaired oil burner.

SANITARY GARAGE

Electrical repairs.
Air tank repairs.
Heating repairs.
Repaired metal door.

SEWER GARAGE

Repaired oil burner.
Plumbing repairs.
Glazing that was necessary.

TEELE SQUARE LIBRARY

General work fitting library.
Painted sign and outside doors and windows.
Electrical work.
New floors, partitions and shelves.

TRUM FIELD HOUSE

Repaired sewer connections.
Removed stoves and boarded up windows.

WATER DEPARTMENT

General repairs to water and electricity.
Repaired motors.
Repaired doors.
Repaired compressor.

WEST BRANCH LIBRARY

Repairs to windows.
Repaired window cords.
Plumbing repairs.
Necessary glazing.
Landscape work.
Replacing floors and reopen dampers.

ENGINE 1

New sash.
Glass set.
Repaired doors, stoker, steam.
Painted toilets.
Plumbing repairs.

ENGINE 2

Stoker repairs.
Plumbing repairs.
Repaired boiler.
Set glass.
Patched plaster.

ENGINE 3

Set glass.
Repaired doors.
Plumbing repairs.
Stoker and boiler repaired.
Electrical repairs.
Replaced bulk head doors.
Repaired window cords.

ENGINE 4

Repaired stoker and boiler.
Repaired door.

ENGINE 5

Repaired boiler and stoker.
 Mason work.
 Patched walls and ceilings.
 Set glass.
 Repaired window cords.

ENGINE 6

Repaired stoker and boiler.
 Plumbing and electrical repairs.
 Gas stove repairs.

ENGINE 7

Temporary door.
 Repaired boiler and stoker.
 Plumbing and electrical repairs.
 Rebuilding lockers and making new room for Chief.
 Patched plaster and painting room and hallway, 2nd floor.

FIRE ALARM BUILDING

Repaired plaster.
 Repaired stoker and boiler.
 Radiators replaced old pipe with brass on water connections.

This department is required to inspect all new building constructions and all alterations, this includes all plumbing and gasfitting, and to issue permits therefore.

The number of building permits issued by the Commissioner during the year 1945, having been duly inspected by the Building inspector, is as follows:

	Fire-		
	Wood	Resisting	Totals
New buildings	1	11	12
Alterations	159	54	213
	160	65	225

The fees collected for these permits totals \$559.00 and this has been turned over to the City Treasurer as revenue.

During the year 1945 there have been 1241 inspections of plumbing and gasfitting, and this number of permits are classified as follows:

The number of plumbing permits issued during 1945 was	180
The number of permits for installation of new plumbing	8
The number of permits for alterations to plumbing	172
The number of buildings in which soil pipes were tested	31

The fees collected for plumbing for the year 1945 was \$188.00 and this has been turned over to the City Treasurer as revenue.

The number of permits issued for gasfitting in 1945 was	254
The number of permits for new installation of gas	47
The number of permits for additions and alterations	207
The number of buildings in which gas piping was tested with mercury test tubes	112
The number of buildings in which gas piping was tested after change from gas to electric lighting	8

The fees collected for gasfitting for the year 1945 amounts to \$102.00 and this has been turned over to the City Treasurer as revenue.

The total estimated cost of new buildings and alterations as filed by the grantees on the permits issued amounts to \$669,975.00 in 1945. For comparison the estimated cost for the same amounts to \$207,435.00 in 1944. The total number of permits for all purposes, not including plumbing and gasfitting, viz 258, is 78 more than in 1944 when 180 permits were issued.

The following is a tabulation showing the distribution of money spent for the operation of the Building Department in 1945.

Buildings	Salaries	Fuel	Light	Care and Repair	Totals
Bandstand	\$307.62	.....	.....	\$9.75	\$317.37
Bathhouse	580.35	.....	7.50	114.32	702.17
Bow St. Municipal	5,355.18	780.36	449.27	7,722.23	14,307.04
Electrical	2,317.40	414.91	13.91	731.15	3,477.37
Fire	2,856.53	4,640.80	3,918.08	9,665.46	21,080.87
Municipal Garage .....	.....	.....	158.86	.....	158.86
Contagious Hospital	968.97	921.13	833.62	2,351.21	5,074.93
City Home	893.83	2,269.97	983.37	2,688.26	6,835.43
Highway	257.58	1,018.64	295.74	1,238.94	2,810.90
Central Library	7,931.15	1,610.88	985.75	2,625.34	13,153.12
West Branch Library	2,222.34	622.61	460.55	973.04	4,278.54
East Branch Library	2,225.00	258.87	201.28	889.49	3,574.64
City Hall	12,154.95	.....	1,297.66	6,746.35	20,198.96
Parks	502.31	1,489.03	164.78	713.64	2,869.76
Police	5,056.95	1,987.14	1,333.94	4,605.19	12,983.22
Polling Places	1,620.64	.....	16.30	836.65	2,473.59
Sanitary	29.17	384.02	.75	4,123.61	4,537.55
Sewer	50.92	241.77	.78	315.03	608.50
Soldiers' Aid .....	.....	.....	93.08	3,519.36	3,612.44
Teale Sq. Branch Library .....	.....	49.40	6.89	2,290.13	2,346.42
Water	57.19	841.12	244.26	344.93	1,487.50
Schools	170,611.68	59,550.29	24,783.21	74,239.71	329,184.89
Totals	\$215,999.76	\$77,080.94	\$36,249.58	\$126,743.79	\$456,074.07

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. KENNEDY,

Commissioner of Public Buildings.

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—

In compliance with the Revised Ordinances of the City of Somerville, I have the Honor of submitting for your information the Annual Report of the Fire Department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1945.

ALARMS AND LOSSES

Number of First Alarms	964	
Number of Second Alarms	13	
Number of Third Alarms	2	
Number of A. D. T. Alarms	17	
Number of Still Alarms	1025	
		2021
Number of Alarms during the Year 1944		1971
Increase in Number of Alarms during year 1945		50
Value of Building at risk	\$1,644,700.00	
Insurance on Building at risk	1,850,900.00	
Insurance damage on Buildings	143,315.88	
Value of contents at risk	518,767.00	
Insurance on contents at risk	591,467.00	
Insurance damage on contents	52,512.97	
Total value at risk	2,163,467.00	
Total Insurance damage	195,828.00	
APPROXIMATE PER CAPITA LOSS		\$1.86

MANUAL FORCE

Manual Force consists of one hundred and eighty-two men.

1	Chief Engineer
2	Deputy Chiefs
2	District Chiefs
8	Captains
1	Master Mechanic
12	Lieutenants
146	Privates 3rd Grade
9	Privates 2nd Grade
1	Private 1st Grade

Total 182

APPARATUS

1—	1300 gallon Pumper and Hose Wagon
3—	1000 gallon Pumpers and Hose Wagons
1—	900 gallon Pumper and Hose Wagon
3—	750 gallon Pumpers and Hose Wagons
1—	500 gallon Pumper and Hose Wagon (reserve)
5—	Combination Booster Pumps
1—	Combination Chemical and Hose Wagon
1—	100 Ft. Aerial Ladder Truck with Booster Pump
1—	85 Ft. Aerial Ladder Truck with Booster Pump
1—	75 Ft. Aerial Ladder Truck
1—	City Service Ladder Truck
1—	Combination Rescue Salvage and Lighting Truck
1—	Wrecking Truck
1—	Automobile Packard Sedan Chiefs' Car
1—	Automobile Lafayette Sedan, District Chiefs' Car
2—	Automobiles Hudson Sedan, Deputy Chiefs' Car
1—	Automobile Ford Truck, Master Mechanic

In Memoriam



KEARNEY, WILLIAM J. (Private)

Died at Copp Hospital, January 22, 1945.

Appointed as Permanent Fireman, February 2, 1920.

HALL, ISRAEL Y. (Pensioner)

Died at Home, April 10, 1945.

Appointed a Call Man, November 10, 1904.

Appointed as Permanent Fireman, February 2, 1920

Pensioned, October 29, 1925.

STERN, WILLIAM (Pensioner)

Died at Home, September 21, 1945

Appointed a Call Man, September 24, 1908

Pensioned, March 30, 1923.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

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SERVICES PERFORMED BY COMPANIES DURING YEAR 1945

	Engine 1	Engine 2	Engine 3	Engine 4	Engine 5	Engine 6	Engine 7
Bell Alarms answered	555	460	535	296	429	335	368
Still Alarms answered	76	126	197	62	105	142	162
Miles traveled	1,294.5	786.9	1,334	546.9	719	471	1135
Feet 2½ inch hose used	12,550	13,900	23,209	12,600	9,050	6,250	11,500
Feet 1½ inch hose used	2,400	4,100	1,700	2,800	1,150	3,450	3,000
Feet ¾ inch hose used	39,000	31,800	39,000	16,450	23,000	24,150	35,350
Feet Ladders used	120	—	100	80	250	123	100
Gas Masks used	10	—	7	3	—	8	—
Out of City Calls	3	33	48	7	12	62	31

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Bell Alarms answered	Ladder 1	515	Ladder 2	253	Ladder 3	286	Ladder 4	456	Rescue 1	867
Still Alarms answered		97		33		40		110		124
Miles traveled		985		823		445		1,308		2,464
Feet 2½ inch Hose used										2,500
Feet 1½ inch Hose used										100
Feet ¾ inch Hose used										1,500
Feet Ladders used		2,000								
Feet Ladders used		2,290		1,715		1,049		2,341		
Extinguishers used		5		12		1		5		17
Salvage covers used				2		5		1		88
Gas Masks used										144
Flood Lights										122
Portable Light										
Inhalator used										39
Sprinkler heads replaced										15
Smoke Ejector used										
Refrigerator calls										22
Out orf City Calls		1		14		18				

RECOMMENDATIONS

Each succeeding year we have called to the attention of the Citizens the deplorable condition of the major portion of our fire apparatus.

The time has now arrived when we are unable to work properly and efficiently with some of this old and worn out apparatus. It is most urgently requested that something be done about this situation immediately.

It is readily apparent that something should be done immediately to remedy the situation since practically every fire house needs extensive repairs. In some cases total replacement of these structures is necessary. A casual observance of fire stations in our neighboring cities, by interested citizens of Somerville, reflects upon the City of Somerville.

During the past few years a new practice whereby exterminating companies are using hydrocyanic gas for the purpose of exterminating rodents and vermin in a building or a portion of a building used for dwelling purposes has been conducted without any regulation or control for the safety of the occupants of these buildings or the firemen who would have to enter these buildings in the event of fire while these deadly fumes are present. It has been demonstrated and proven by competent Chemists that the fumes or vapors of this chemical are so deadly that the first breath is the last breath of any person coming in contact with this poisonous atmosphere.

It is recommended that this practice shall be immediately regulated and controlled by a city ordinance for the protection of our citizens.

In the inspections by the fire department we have found a number of lodging houses licensed by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as Homes for Aged Persons, sometimes referred to as convalescent homes. No local licenses have been granted in these cases.

The fire department has received numerous requests from the State Department of Public Welfare to inspect such locations. In all of these cases we are reluctant to suggest needed recommendations for safety of life in case of fire for

the reason that the Honorable Board of Aldermen did not pass favorably on the application for these Licenses, for the reason that these buildings were deemed improper for this type of occupancy.

There are two classes of occupancy in this city regarding which the fire department is deeply concerned lest under existing physical conditions there might be serious consequences to occupants and even fatalities, namely commonly called convalescent homes and lodging houses.

It is found by inspection that these buildings were formerly large one-family dwellings of wooden construction, having open stairways, hallways and rooms adjoining hallways with unprotected openings where fire could spread very rapidly to all floors of the building, thereby cutting off by fire, heat, smoke and gases the exits from each floor. Most probably serious injuries and loss of life to the occupants would eventuate.

It is therefore concluded that these convalescent homes or lodging houses should not be permitted to exist unless housed in buildings of at least second class construction properly fire-stopped at each floor level. All partitions, hallways stairways and other vertical shafts, should be protected with fire protected partitions with all openings on each floor level protected with approved self-closing fire doors to be kept closed except when used for passage.

There should be at least two independent means of egress from each floor, so located that every patient or occupant may have access to the stairways which lead to the first floor level with an exit door leading to the outside area.

The heating apparatus should be located in a room having fireproof walls and floor, and a fire protected ceiling, and an approved self-closing fire door.

The entire basement ceiling should be fire protected.

At least the entire basement, hallways and stairways should be protected with an approved automatic sprinkler and sprinkler alarm system.

It is realized that the above mentioned requirements are drastic, but they are necessary if it is wished to house safely the occupants who are largely elderly people or sick patients, all of whom would require assistance if forced to vacate hurriedly.

MEMBERS APPOINTED PERMANENTLY TO THE FIRE
DEPARTMENT WHILE IN THE SERVICES OF THE
UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES. WORLD WAR II

ALEXANDER F. ARDIZZONE

WILLIAM E. McMASTER

MORGAN F. McSWEENEY

FREDERICK F. CUMMINGS

JOSEPH E. LONG

MICHAEL E. O'NEIL

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CONCLUSION

In concluding my report I wish to state that I fully recognize the support and confidence accorded me, the past year, by His Honor, the Mayor, and the Honorable Board of Aldermen; I wish also to take this opportunity to thank the officers and members of the Department for their faithfulness and efficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. McNALLY,

Chief Engineer

REPORT OF VETERANS' AID AND PENSIONS

March 27, 1946

To the honorable, the Mayor and the
Board of Aldermen of the City of Somerville

Gentlemen:

I am submitting the annual report of the Veterans' Aid and Pensions Department, in which is presented a tabulated statement showing the aid rendered to the veterans and their dependents because of service in the Civil and Spanish Wars, World War I and World War II, for the year ending December 31, 1945.

The amounts expended for the different types of aid are as follows:

Military Aid	\$3,593.50
State Aid	2,220.00
Soldiers' Relief	23,051.81
War Allowance	6,659.87
Burials	200.00
Total Expenditures	\$35,725.18

Since the department moved to larger quarters with improved facilities for service to veterans and their dependents, we have furnished about seven thousand photostatic copies of discharges, as well as assisting a number of veterans to obtain employment and housing facilities. A considerable number of persons have received help through the department to complete their application for insurance and pension, and the department has been recording the discharges in accordance with the law.

It is probable that our expenditures may increase during the next year because of the curtailment of personnel in defense plants and other industries engaged in essential work.

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS MADE BY THE VETERAN'S AID AND PENSIONS DEPARTMENT—1945

	War Allowance	Military Aid	State Aid	Soldiers' Relief	Total Relief	Cash	Recapitulation of Medical	Soldiers' Relief Fuel	Groceries	Cases	Persons
January	\$334.00	\$415.00	\$320.00	\$2,245.69	\$3,314.69	\$1,974.00	\$245.97	\$12.72	\$13.00	98	204
February	596.80	360.00	320.00	1,804.83	3,081.63	1,572.03	211.80		21.00	106	197
March	530.99	403.00	250.00	2,768.07	3,952.06	1,583.68	641.08	526.33	17.00	105	194
April	628.85	347.00	170.00	1,552.75	2,698.60	1,497.75	50.00		5.00	91	170
May	639.40	310.00	140.00	2,096.76	3,186.16	1,389.50	672.26		35.00	83	165
June	345.75	290.00	160.00	1,578.15	2,373.90	1,352.25	225.90			89	173
July	677.50	280.00	150.00	1,855.40	2,962.90	1,228.25	606.15		21.00	75	154
August	916.33	235.00	200.00	2,200.42	3,551.75	1,176.50	1,000.92		23.00	76	155
September	415.50	195.00	140.00	1,588.80	2,339.30	1,148.50	435.30		5.00	82	161
October	696.75	338.50	110.00	1,806.57	2,951.82	1,097.00	704.57		5.00	73	132
November	477.50	160.00	110.00	1,512.38	2,259.88	1,199.75	312.63			72	128
December	400.50	260.00	150.00	2,041.99	2,852.49	1,171.75	798.04	47.70	24.50	79	136
	\$6,659.87	\$3,593.50	\$2,220.00	\$23,051.81	\$35,525.18	\$16,390.94	\$5,904.62	\$586.75	\$169.50	1029	2969
Soldiers' Burials					200.00						
					\$35,725.18						

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

DATE	TIME	PLACE	PERSONS	REMARKS
1941	10:00	Room 101	Mr. Smith	Arrived
1941	10:15	Room 101	Mr. Jones	Arrived
1941	10:30	Room 101	Mr. Brown	Arrived
1941	10:45	Room 101	Mr. White	Arrived
1941	11:00	Room 101	Mr. Black	Arrived
1941	11:15	Room 101	Mr. Green	Arrived
1941	11:30	Room 101	Mr. Grey	Arrived
1941	11:45	Room 101	Mr. Blue	Arrived
1941	12:00	Room 101	Mr. Yellow	Arrived
1941	12:15	Room 101	Mr. Purple	Arrived
1941	12:30	Room 101	Mr. Pink	Arrived
1941	12:45	Room 101	Mr. Red	Arrived
1941	13:00	Room 101	Mr. Orange	Arrived
1941	13:15	Room 101	Mr. Silver	Arrived
1941	13:30	Room 101	Mr. Gold	Arrived
1941	13:45	Room 101	Mr. Copper	Arrived
1941	14:00	Room 101	Mr. Iron	Arrived
1941	14:15	Room 101	Mr. Steel	Arrived
1941	14:30	Room 101	Mr. Lead	Arrived
1941	14:45	Room 101	Mr. Zinc	Arrived
1941	15:00	Room 101	Mr. Nickel	Arrived
1941	15:15	Room 101	Mr. Cobalt	Arrived
1941	15:30	Room 101	Mr. Manganese	Arrived
1941	15:45	Room 101	Mr. Magnesium	Arrived
1941	16:00	Room 101	Mr. Calcium	Arrived
1941	16:15	Room 101	Mr. Strontium	Arrived
1941	16:30	Room 101	Mr. Barium	Arrived
1941	16:45	Room 101	Mr. Radium	Arrived
1941	17:00	Room 101	Mr. Polonium	Arrived
1941	17:15	Room 101	Mr. Astatine	Arrived
1941	17:30	Room 101	Mr. Tellurium	Arrived
1941	17:45	Room 101	Mr. Selenium	Arrived
1941	18:00	Room 101	Mr. Arsenic	Arrived
1941	18:15	Room 101	Mr. Antimony	Arrived
1941	18:30	Room 101	Mr. Bismuth	Arrived
1941	18:45	Room 101	Mr. Thallium	Arrived
1941	19:00	Room 101	Mr. Lead	Arrived
1941	19:15	Room 101	Mr. Tin	Arrived
1941	19:30	Room 101	Mr. Cadmium	Arrived
1941	19:45	Room 101	Mr. Mercury	Arrived
1941	20:00	Room 101	Mr. Platinum	Arrived
1941	20:15	Room 101	Mr. Gold	Arrived
1941	20:30	Room 101	Mr. Silver	Arrived
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1941	23:15	Room 101	Mr. Strontium	Arrived
1941	23:30	Room 101	Mr. Barium	Arrived
1941	23:45	Room 101	Mr. Radium	Arrived
1941	24:00	Room 101	Mr. Polonium	Arrived

A number of veterans receiving unemployment compensation or readjustment pay are receiving supplementary aid through this department to meet the family schedule.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS F. McGRATH,
Commissioner

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

March 28, 1946

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen
City of Somerville:

Gentlemen:

The Board of Election Commissioners respectfully submits to the Board of Aldermen the Annual Report of the Department for 1945.

GEORGE J. MORAN, *Chairman.*

REGISTRATION

Before the Preliminary Election in July, registration was held in the office at City Hall, beginning April 30, and continuing until June 19, from 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. except Saturdays, when the hours were from 8:30 A. M. to 12 Noon. And on Monday, June 4, Tuesday, June 5, Monday June 18, Tuesday, June 19, from 7 P. M. to 9 P. M. and Wednesday, June 20, from 8:30 A. M. to 10:00 P. M.

Outside sessions were as follows:—from 7:00 P. M. to 9:00 P. M.

Pope Schoolhouse, Washington and Boston streets, Wednesday, June 6.
John A. Dickerman Schoolhouse, Cross Street, Wednesday, June 6.
Burns Schoolhouse, Cherry Street, Thursday, June 7.
Western Junior High Schoolhouse, Holland Street, Thursday, June 7.
Carr Schoolhouse, Atherton Street, Monday, June 11.
Perry Schoolhouse, Washington Street, Monday, June 11.
Bingham Schoolhouse, Lowell Street, Tuesday, June 12.
Glines Schoolhouse, Jaques Street, Tuesday, June 12.
Knapp Schoolhouse, Adrian Street, Wednesday, June 13.
Southworth Schoolhouse, Myrtle Street, Wednesday, June 13.
Brown Schoolhouse, Willow Avenue, Thursday, June 14.
Cutler Schoolhouse, Powder House boulevard, Thursday, June 14.

Four hundred and sixty-nine names were added to the voting list during this registration.

After the Preliminary Election on July 10, registration was held at City Hall daily continuing until Tuesday, October 16 from 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. except on Saturday, when the hours were from 8:30 A. M. to 12 Noon and on Wednesday, October 17 from 8:30 A. M. to 10:00 P. M. Also, Monday, October 1, Tuesday, October 2, Monday, October 15, Tuesday, October 16 from 7:00 P. M. to 9:00 P. M.

Outside Sessions were as follows:
from 7:00 P. M. to 9:00 P. M.

Pope Schoolhouse, Washington and Boston Streets, Wednesday,
October 3.

John A. Dickerman Schoolhouse, Cross Street, Wednesday, October 3

Burns Schoolhouse, Cherry Street, Thursday, October 4

Western Junior High, School, Holland Street, Thursday, October 4

Carr Schoolhouse, Atherton Street, Friday, October 5

Perry Schoolhouse, Washington Street, Friday, October 5

Bingham Schoolhouse, Lowell Street, Monday, October 8

Glines Schoolhouse, Jaques Street, Monday, October 8

Knapp Schoolhouse, Adrian Street, Tuesday, October 9

Southworth Schoolhouse, Myrtle Street, Tuesday, October 9

Brown Schoolhouse, Willow Avenue, Wednesday, October 10

Cutler Schoolhouse, Powder House Boulevard, Wednesday, October 10

One thousand fifty-one names were added to the voting list during this registration, making a total of forty-seven thousand two hundred ninety-one (47291) names.

NOMINATION PAPERS—REFERENDUM PETITIONS

The Board of Election Commissioners received three hundred and forty-four Nomination Papers on which ten thousand three hundred eighty names were certified. There were, also four Referendum Petitions on which one hundred and twenty names were certified, this made a total three hundred and forty eight papers and a total of ten thousand four hundred names certified.

JURORS

In accordance with Chapter 234 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 211 of the Acts of 1924, the Election Commissioners prepared a list of the inhabitants of Somerville, liable to serve as jurors. The Board has established a system, whereby each person provisionally selected for jury

service fills out a questionnaire and appears before a member of the Board at the office and makes oath to the statements contained therein. This gives the Board an opportunity to meet each individual and note, if any, his physical defects or disability to render the county the service that would be required of him as a juror. These personal examinations also, enable the Board to know the educational qualifications of each prospective juror. The jury list prepared by the Board for the year 1945 contains the names of eleven hundred and eleven (1111) voters.

RECOUNTS

A Recount was held on July 17 and 18 for the purpose of recounting votes cast at the Preliminary Election, July 10, for Aldermen-at-Large for the entire city and for the School Committee Ward One, and for the Ward Aldermen, Ward Five;

After the Election, November 6, there was a Recount for the purpose of recounting votes cast for Ward Aldermen and School Committee in Ward One and for Ward Aldermen for Wards Four and Five.

Both recounts were held in the Aldermanic Chamber at City Hall.

EXPENSES

The Expenses for the Election Department for the year ending December 31, 1945, were as follows:

Board of Election Commissioners	\$21,436.87
Pay of Election Officers	7,869.00
Total Expenses	<u>\$29,305.87</u>

The Board of Election Commissioners has had the co-operation of His Honor, the Mayor and His Honorable Members of the Board of Aldermen and the City Officials, for which it is truly grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE J. MORAN
WARREN C. DAGGETT
WARREN S. JOHNSTON
LEO B. HAVICAN

Board of Election Commissioners.

March 28, 1946.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the
Board of Aldermen of the City of
Somerville

Gentlemen:

The Listing Board of the City of Somerville respectfully
submits the following report for the year 1945.

Listing of males, twenty years of age and over for poll
taxes and listing of all females twenty years of age and up-
wards.

GEORGE J. MORAN
WARREN C. DAGGETT
WARREN S. JOHNSTON
LEO B. HAVICAN
THOMAS DAMERY

Listing Board of Somerville.

**NUMBER OF PERSONS LISTED BY THE POLICE DEPARTMENT
FOR THE YEAR 1945.**

Ward	Pct.	Males	Females	Totals	Males	Females	Totals
1	1	1119	1059	2178			
1	2	899	948	1847			
1	3	864	876	1740			
1	4	1033	1048	2081			
1	5	985	1040	2025			
					4900	4971	9871
2	1	1135	955	2090			
2	2	945	977	1922			
2	3	681	771	1452			
2	4	1062	1131	2193			
2	5	1048	1142	2190			
2	6	970	1007	1977			
					5841	5983	11824
3	1	956	967	1923			
3	2	843	1020	1863			
3	3	939	1117	2056			
3	4	839	1019	1858			
3	5	699	1004	1703			
					4276	5127	9403
4	1	1074	1214	2288			
4	2	794	836	1630			
4	3	984	1255	2239			
4	4	990	1218	2208			
4	5	1137	1181	2318			
4	6	727	747	1474			
					5706	6451	12157
5	1	776	873	1649			
5	2	868	938	1806			
5	3	868	961	1829			
5	4	864	951	1815			
5	5	861	918	1779			
5	6	922	992	1914			
					5159	5633	10792
6	1	890	1086	1976			
6	2	982	1178	2160			
6	3	772	970	1742			
6	4	759	933	1692			
6	5	793	1018	1811			
					4196	5185	9381
7	1	981	1134	2115			
7	2	960	1098	2058			
7	3	879	1016	1895			
7	4	921	996	1917			
7	5	917	999	1916			
					4658	5243	9901
		<u>34736</u>	<u>38593</u>	<u>73329</u>	<u>34736</u>	<u>38593</u>	<u>73329</u>

REGISTERED VOTERS

Ward	Pct.	Reg. Voters Oct. 1944		Revised Lists June 1, 1945		Reg. Voters Oct. 1945		Votes Cast City Election Nov. 6, 1945
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
1	1	606	588	549	519	569	551	687
1	2	532	524	487	488	518	508	657
1	3	527	512	491	491	525	506	592
1	4	660	689	619	634	641	655	793
1	5	728	676	606	623	621	649	770
2	1	641	490	618	452	644	464	705
2	2	616	590	578	555	605	573	675
2	3	439	484	393	444	406	453	501
2	4	669	668	616	609	641	637	761
2	5	609	639	562	589	576	608	624
2	6	531	490	489	463	506	488	491
3	1	651	731	610	683	632	708	836
3	2	581	750	535	678	558	700	660
3	3	668	748	593	707	620	732	763
3	4	601	743	551	696	569	719	759
3	5	480	672	448	632	457	649	620
4	1	752	836	689	782	710	801	918
4	2	530	534	511	501	529	523	664
4	3	645	818	594	746	617	776	773
4	4	711	900	691	701	710	883	875
4	5	739	746	694	854	715	731	925
4	6	513	498	475	459	492	477	573
5	1	570	596	530	552	551	578	654
5	2	610	637	578	584	608	603	689
5	3	628	643	583	594	603	615	671
5	4	608	647	563	620	580	635	613
5	5	554	587	624	647	543	594	687
5	6	665	681	515	549	646	661	651
6	1	661	830	626*	766	641	781	673
6	2	696	812	660	754	677	772	695
6	3	521	671	486	610	497	618	499
6	4	591	744	558	696	561	715	741
6	5	560	754	510	700	522	711	569
7	1	697	754	673	758	676	768	777
7	2	644	739	616	709	627	731	730
7	3	673	763	635	711	650	733	831
7	4	685	709	643	660	663	705	852
7	5	697	717	662	694	670	704	702
		23489	25610	21861	23910	22576	24715	26656

PRELIMINARY ELECTION

JULY 10, 1945

PRELIMINARY ELECTION JULY 10, 1945

	Ward One						Ward Two						Ward Three						Ward Four						Ward Five						Ward Six						Ward Seven						Totals
	1	2	3	4	5		1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5									
TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTES CAST.....	423	387	384	464	453	439	456	251	465	359	352	458	345	412	400	367	576	356	409	483	527	334	395	361	374	413	531	399	304	276	261	340	231	394	329	428	397	350	14883				
William B. Bailey	57	50	48	58	32	28	31	26	76	39	30	40	63	79	24	49	123	29	61	79	62	28	43	40	64	70	34	62	83	77	112	74	93	75	66	95	69	62	2231				
William J. Melley	3	2	6	6	8	8	4	7	8	6	4	19	21	59	53	109	18	0	20	53	12	5	2	11	11	9	7	13	1	4	8	4	3	6	5	2	5	14	536				
G. Edward Bradley	230	203	230	242	210	334	284	140	238	221	214	271	146	158	215	133	253	151	195	217	226	153	152	193	179	138	176	195	119	133	87	157	96	202	157	210	211	171	7240				
Harold A. Palmer	52	55	52	86	77	26	54	37	58	52	26	74	84	67	59	47	138	160	82	75	202	115	72	65	64	72	60	52	54	43	37	48	29	67	56	76	51	62	2586				
Francis E. Ryan	70	62	41	67	115	19	73	31	76	36	55	44	27	42	41	27	34	10	46	51	17	28	122	41	47	120	240	69	41	16	15	52	9	36	44	40	55	38	1997				
Alderman-at-Large																																											
Arthur C. Coffey	71	94	67	49	67	57	60	37	70	71	55	72	55	54	101	113	51	44	64	93	69	43	56	58	70	113	100	67	92	53	44	93	37	86	79	193	151	125	2874				
Engene McCarthy	108	58	71	97	105	76	77	34	53	55	48	59	47	56	52	44	78	71	111	87	143	68	155	52	61	61	219	73	42	32	29	40	22	34	48	34	53	59	2612				
E. Edward Corbett	56	70	61	31	81	67	105	40	68	70	109	79	54	67	37	32	64	64	32	67	74	26	76	72	69	87	65	79	87	52	47	137	39	76	69	78	82	86	2555				
Edward F. Moynihan	94	90	84	131	125	68	85	42	93	70	65	97	86	72	78	108	108	85	127	144	118	79	117	74	91	151	136	99	96	61	76	166	81	128	95	128	120	147	3815				
John E. Whitney	66	56	76	76	57	108	73	53	69	51	61	88	69	63	55	50	90	85	56	92	158	158	53	31	49	32	31	63	31	39	45	35	33	56	45	64	66	46	2429				
John J. Sullivan	58	41	47	51	65	35	115	30	98	118	85	40	33	39	52	31	81	75	49	61	72	61	45	83	48	32	59	58	23	22	15	18	11	26	31	28	41	34	1909				
John F. Foster, Jr.	79	82	59	82	61	34	43	20	31	51	36	78	73	95	56	86	136	53	78	139	96	32	65	52	118	96	60	116	108	156	129	89	121	138	102	148	110	99	3211				
Timothy J. Cronin	52	44	39	50	53	88	189	105	169	93	150	112	77	63	89	65	37	23	36	75	34	35	45	43	44	50	54	44	23	28	25	53	18	136	55	62	74	61	2491				
Paul I. McCarthy	141	124	132	238	194	106	137	57	116	62	63	94	110	89	93	80	219	125	112	130	134	149	114	83	90	86	116	107	56	54	45	87	40	54	50	63	63	58	3871				
John J. Denning	17	21	18	16	24	38	18	30	26	29	25	45	38	107	130	99	23	10	31	49	25	10	20	47	61	15	15	44	9	30	12	20	15	23	30	22	21	25	1238				
Henry T. Murray, Jr.	105	83	95	103	97	73	75	36	97	64	68	123	81	90	65	75	129	73	92	96	99	52	171	126	102	119	168	95	67	48	41	50	33	71	51	87	75	75	3250				
Edward T. Brady	75	55	77	67	77	207	210	114	250	110	151	156	108	85	73	46	45	48	42	102	53	41	34	53	37	48	40	51	16	26	14	29	10	43	37	49	31	43	2753				
Wallace A. Blair	59	54	85	101	34	18	24	21	18	27	23	40	44	39	24	37	192	39	54	56	47	38	35	27	32	34	26	52	28	36	42	25	34	28	25	51	27	32	1608				
Ralph L. Garrett	61	50	41	58	53	13	15	9	12	36	15	32	40	55	27	42	81	37	46	74	46	18	35	22	39	53	24	43	51	47	74	66	68	111	112	117	92	70	1885				
Joseph L. Desmond	22	20	21	28	21	27	15	12	25	12	8	26	13	21	30	15	41	21	117	25	43	13	63	15	28	22	40	22	13	13	11	18	11	16	23	20	27	26	944				
Edwin O. Learned	41	42	65	79	60	24	21	11	14	18	21	28	23	36	37	35	146	120	87	81	173	38	27	26	49	89	42	49	32	31	30	28	24	31	28	36	29	17	1768				
Lester W. Bowen	17	29	16	26	23	10	16	7	9	20	12	32	29	35	28	35	35	16	30	42	24	10	16	19	36	48	19	32	47	49	57	38	64	53	35	55	27	27	1123				
Donald C. Austin	85	63	43	43	53	20	17	20	23	44	13	49	71	167	120	96	68	35	54	58	53	22	32	58	96	84	35	67	62	65	69	31	63	60	34	62	36	46	2117				
Ward Aldermen—Ward 1																																											
Frederick J. Ryan	154	114	77	100	256																																			701			
Walter J. Moran	195	137	130	167	116																																				745		
Matthew H. Kerner	26	48	58	62	33																																				227		
Francis J. Stanford	27	62	98	104	33																																				324		
Ward Aldermen—Ward 2																																											
Fred Benjamin						109	170	49	88	135	145																						</										

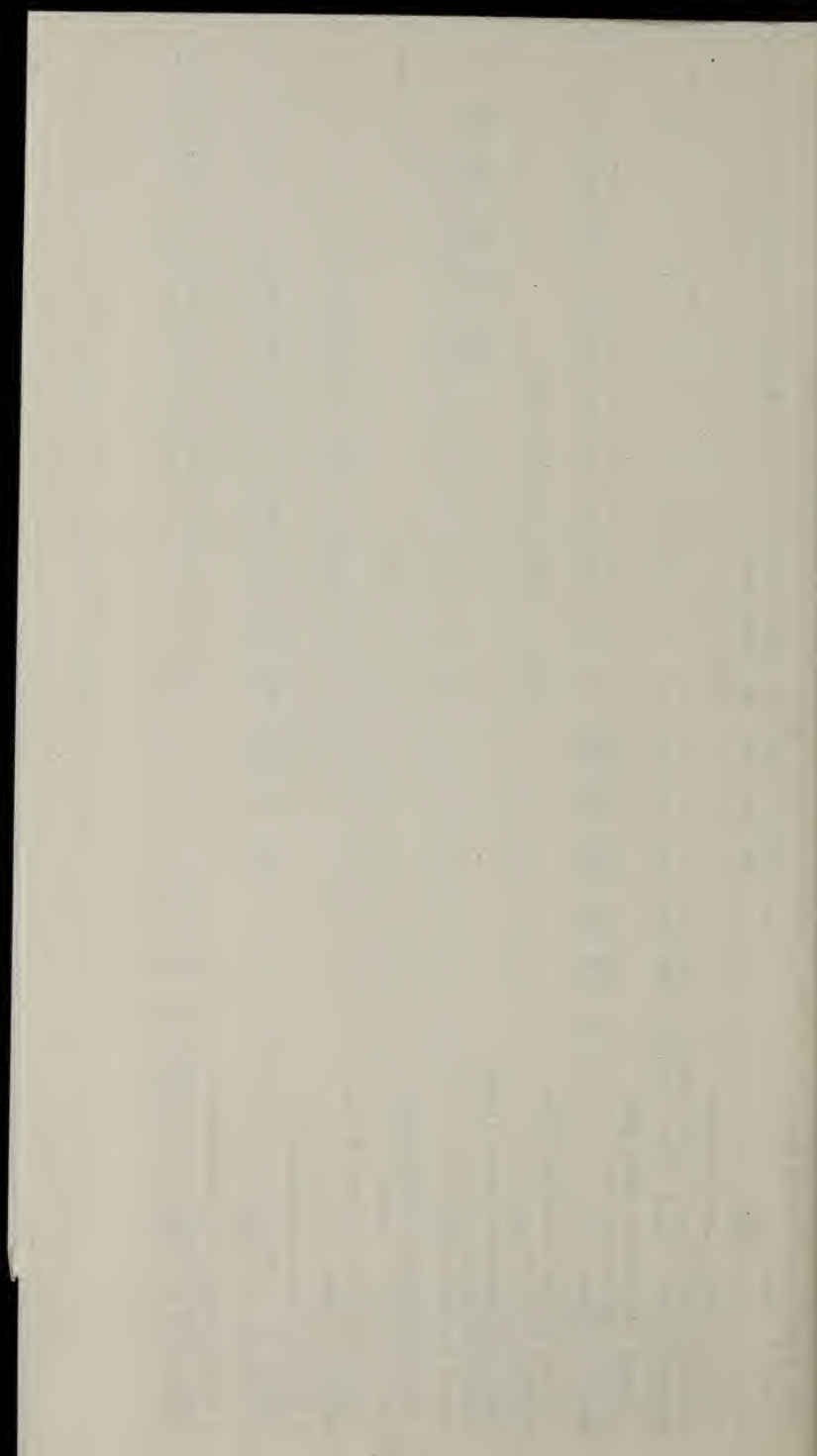
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CITY ELECTION

NOVEMBER 6, 1945

CITY ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1945

	Ward One					Ward Two						Ward Three					Ward Four						Ward Five						Ward Six					Ward Seven					Totals						
	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5							
Total number of Votes Cast	687	657	592	793	770	705	675	501	761	624	491	836	660	763	759	620	918	664	773	875	925	573	654	689	671	613	687	651	673	695	499	741	569	777	730	831	852	702	26656						
Mayor																																													
G. Edward Bradley	500	466	454	611	532	619	558	372	658	457	401	580	424	554	558	414	601	372	538	551	557	380	526	491	463	381	485	462	447	455	357	506	388	520	526	599	595	514	18872						
Harold A. Palmer	173	170	128	158	221	61	111	122	84	154	81	231	216	201	177	190	280	283	215	292	334	189	112	177	192	224	172	173	215	216	130	210	165	234	189	210	243	166	7099						
Aldermen-At-Large																																													
Edward T. Brady	352	307	301	328	335	529	491	367	551	383	368	516	373	405	373	264	318	288	264	327	307	257	185	291	245	178	156	254	179	234	152	170	161	279	247	233	276	243	11487						
Arthur C. Coffey	184	198	166	183	182	119	214	116	236	199	117	250	176	241	271	265	219	158	220	319	252	177	212	190	254	263	193	242	327	247	216	313	206	277	303	515	460	372	9052						
T. Edward Corbett	198	225	174	221	225	174	213	166	204	245	194	273	213	267	285	223	289	235	252	297	298	177	238	271	272	263	261	259	345	287	187	390	223	363	316	311	333	310	9677						
John F. Foster, Jr.	205	224	217	261	230	153	180	103	129	180	123	236	237	258	211	209	355	174	268	357	306	131	156	199	325	191	128	249	311	396	274	272	352	373	305	402	312	288	9280						
Eugene McCarthy	204	159	131	241	203	133	144	105	152	143	121	149	113	132	147	105	194	174	229	160	309	163	257	119	120	119	326	136	106	114	65	102	53	147	149	115	155	134	5828						
Paul I. McCarthy	328	344	294	483	455	247	325	231	291	256	226	341	354	367	367	284	549	332	374	422	423	351	308	319	252	253	189	301	270	272	158	280	210	300	288	318	345	223	11930						
Edward F. Moynihan	212	207	188	284	268	156	206	143	221	190	146	241	204	204	214	226	293	195	257	323	302	194	239	191	209	265	218	184	312	236	219	413	229	350	321	319	336	281	9196						
Henry T. Murray, Jr.	317	281	293	352	313	353	239	220	306	261	208	385	303	364	329	234	432	307	408	458	427	253	428	379	309	325	339	292	268	308	202	250	278	309	319	386	383	355	12173						
Ward Alderman—Ward One																																													
Walter J. Moran	418	313	326	425	240																																		1722						
Frederick J. Ryan	257	311	247	338	501																																		1654						
Ward Alderman—Ward Two																																													
Fred Benjamin						171	193	72	124	201	212																													973					
James F. Hall						403	446	392	611	382	257																													2491					
Ward Alderman—Ward Three																																													
Edward J. Liston												495	253	232	226	236																								1442					
Thomas F. Pickett												287	368	495	505	349																								2004					
Ward Alderman—Ward Four																																													
~~Theodore Campo~~																	481	237	452	491	420	236																		2317					
~~John L. Carroll~~																	402	409	292	348	480	325																		2256					
Ward Alderman—Ward Six																																													
Walter F. King																							437	283	335	399	384	356												1570					
Raymond I. Reynolds																																								2194					
Ward Alderman—Ward Seven																																													
Thomas J. Burke																													205	326	133	104	198							966					
Leo B. Mallard																													403	279	322	598	321							1923					
School Committee—Ward One																																													
Elvin E. MacKenzie	265	378	289	285	362																													377	348	391	261	352	1729						
Mary E. Wholey	386	241	264	458	362																												376	347	420	578	325	2046							
School Committee—Ward Two																																													
Francis H. Brown						473	567	424	606	510	406																													1579					
School Committee—Ward Three																																													
Joseph J. Galvin																																								1711					
Albert L. Sullivan												304	332	435	485	332																							2986						
School Committee—Ward Four																																													
Earl W. Landry												440	263	247	199	229																								1888					
School Committee—Ward Five																																													
William J. Shea																704	475	612	675	687	438																			1378					
School Committee—Ward Six																																													
Nelson W. Irving																							523	524	534	483	458	531											3591						
V. Theresa Morrissey																																								3053					
School Committee—Ward Seven																																													
John F. Fitzgerald																													222	288	229	233	269							1241					
Marguerite A. Taylor																													429	364	239	486	273							1791					
																																								417	479	409	318	325	1948
																																								320	225	390	501	343	1779



REPORT OF CITY CLERK

Office of the City Clerk
January 1, 1946

To the Honorable the Mayor
and the Board of Aldermen

Gentlemen:

The following is respectfully submitted as the seventy-fourth Annual Report of the City Clerk of the City of Somerville, and is for the year ending December 31, 1945.

The receipts and payments were as follows:

For dog licenses issued in 1945:

1616 males at \$2.00	\$3,232.00	
261 females at \$5.00	1,305.00	
564 spayed at \$2.00	1,128.00	
1 kennel at \$25.00	25.00	
		\$5,690.00

For hunting and fishing licenses issued in 1945:

387 fishing at \$2.00	774.00	
344 hunting at \$2.00	688.00	
168 sporting at \$3.25	546.00	
121 minor fishing at \$1.25	151.25	
1 trapping at \$5.25	5.25	
6 duplicates at \$.50	3.00	
		2,167.50

Recording mortgages, assignments, etc.	2,030.19
Certificates of marriage intentions, including postage	2,584.46
Furnishing copies of records	733.88

Licenses:

Auctioneers, 13 at \$2.00	26.00
Billiard, pool tables and bowling alleys, 108	

licenses for 58 tables and 50 alleys at \$3.00	324.00
Cut meat and sausage, 3 at \$50.00	150.00
Drain layers, 2 at \$1.00	2.00
Drivers, 219 at \$1.00	219.00
Electric motors and stationary engines, 19 at \$1.00	19.00

Garages:

6 at \$5.00	
1 at 10.00	
2 at 20.00	80.00
Hackney carriages, 78 at \$1.00	78.00
Garage renewals	807.50
Intelligence offices, 2 at \$2.00	4.00

Junk and second hand licenses:

Collect junk, 15 at \$10.00	150.00
Junk shops, 20 at \$25.00	500.00
Lodging houses, 9 at \$2.00	18.00

Second hand auto dealers:

8 at \$50.00	
28 at \$25.00	1,100.00
Slaughtering, 11 at \$1.00	11.00
Street musicians, 4 at \$0.50	2.00

Storage of explosives:

2 at \$1.00	
3 at 10.00	
16 at 20.00	
2 at 40.00	
4 at 50.00	632.00
Storage of explosive renewals	4,195.00
Transient vendors, 1 at \$25.00.....	25.00
Storage of rags, 1 at \$25.00	25.00
Wagon licenses, 4 at \$1.00	4.00
Wagon stand licenses, 64 at \$1.00	64.00

Permits for projections over the sidewalk
for:

4 awnings	
5 electric signs	
14 neon signs	
2 shelves	
1 coal hole	
5 metal signs	
6 wooden signs	
2 swing arms	
1 panel sign	
4 licenses at \$1.00	
36 licenses at \$5.00	184.00
Sale of firearms, etc. 1 at \$10.00.....	10.00
Bus route, 1 at \$10.00	10.00

Badges	5.25	
Registration of physicians, optometrists and chiropradists	1.75	
Copies of ordinances	18.60	
Fees for notices of hearings	9.83	
Advertising fees	110.00	
Duplicate of dog license tags	3.90	
Transfer of dog license	.50	
Reporting congenital births	2.00	
Forms	.65	14,140.51
		\$21,998.01

PAYMENTS

To City Treasurer for dog licenses in 1945:

1616 males at \$2.00	\$3,232.00	
261 females at \$5.00	1,305.00	
564 spayed at \$2.00	1,128.00	
1 kennel at \$25.00	25.00	
	5,690.00	
Less City Clerk's fees,		
2442 at \$.20	488.40	\$5,201.60

To Commissioners Fisheries and Game for hunting licenses,
etc. in 1945:

387 fishing at \$2.00	\$774.00	
344 hunting at \$2.00	688.00	
168 sporting at \$3.25	546.00	
121 minor fishing at \$1.25	151.25	
1 trapping at \$5.25	5.25	
6 duplicates at \$.50	3.00	
	2,167.50	
Less City Clerk's fees,		
1071 at \$.25	255.25	\$1,912.25

To City Treasurer monthly:

All the receipts above specified except for hunting licenses and dog licenses	14,140.51	
		\$21,254.36

LICENSES AND PERMITS

Besides the licenses mentioned in the foregoing list of receipts, licenses and permits have been granted by the Board of Aldermen, without charge, as follows:

To parade with music in street	2
Newspaper license	1
Sound wagon	1

BIRTHS

1945

Number of births reported by physicians and midwives
for 1945:

Males	620	
Females	570	
		1190

1944

The following is a statement in full of the births for 1944:

Number of births (exclusive of still-births in Somerville in 1944 registered		1222
Males	652	
Females	570	
		1222
Born of American parents	888	
Born of Foreign parents	108	
Born of American father and Foreign mother	75	
Born of Foreign father and American mother	124	
Born of American mother and father un- known Nationality	26	
Born of Foreign mother and father unknown Nationality	1	
		1222
Number of still-births in Somerville in 1944 registered	26	
Number of births in other places in 1944 reg- istered	926	
Number of cases twins	13	

MARRIAGES

1945

Number of intentions issued in 1945		1274
More than previous year		89
Marriages registered		1255
More than previous year		13
Both parties American	1054	
Both parties foreign	30	
American groom and foreign bride	65	
Foreign groom and American bride	106	
		1255
First marriage	2185	
Second marriage	305	
Third marriage	19	
Fourth marriage	1	
		2510
Couples		1255

DEATHS

1945

Number of deaths recorded in Somerville in 1945		1314
Died in City	873	
Stillbirths in City	47	
Died out of City	394	
		1314
Males	676	
Females	638	
		1314
Under ten years	136	
10 and under 20 years of age	17	
20 and under 30 years of age	25	
30 and under 40 years of age	52	
40 and under 50 years of age	81	
50 and under 60 years of age	191	
60 and under 70 years of age	257	
70 and under 80 years of age	324	
80 and under 90 years of age	200	
90 and over	31	
		1314
Age of oldest person who died in Somerville in 1945, 99 years, 6 months, 15 days.		
Born in Somerville	170	
Born in other places in United States.....	605	
Of foreign birth	535	
Of unknown nationality	4	
		1314

CITY GOVERNMENT AND OFFICERS FOR 1945

MAYOR

G. EDWARD BRADLEY, 40 Benton Road

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

President, JOSEPH F. McEVOY, JR.

Vice-President, JAMES F. HALL

ALDERMEN-AT-LARGE

EDWARD F. MOYNIHAN, 905 Broadway

HENRY T. MURRAY, JR., 38 Bartlett Street

*MARGARET R. STACKPOLE, 36 Lowden Avenue

§IRVING L. STACKPOLE, 36 Lowden Avenue

HAROLD A. PALMER, 298 Broadway

* Resigned October 25, 1945

§ Elected October 25, 1945

ALDERMEN

WARD ONE

WESLEY A. MORAN 6 Wheeler Street

WARD TWO

JAMES F. HALL 15 Parkdale Street

WARD THREE

EDWARD J. LISTON 14 Washington Terrace

WARD FOUR

EDITH L. HURD 125 Central Street

WARD FIVE

BURTON F. FAULKNER 35 Highland Road

WARD SIX

RAYMOND I. REYNOLDS 32 Walker Street

WARD SEVEN

JOSEPH F. McEVOY, JR. 210 Powder House Blvd.

City Clerk, NORMAN E. CORWIN

Assistant City Clerk, WILLIAM C. ARBUCKLE

City Messenger, DANIEL A. DOWNEY

Assistant City Messenger, RICHARD A. KEYES

Regular meetings, second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month, at eight o'clock, except when such Thursday is a holiday, in which case, the meeting is held on the preceding Tuesday evening.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

ELECTRIC LINES AND LIGHTS — Chairman Stackpole, Liston, Murray.

FINANCE — Chairman, McEvoy, Reynolds, Stackpole, Hurd, Liston, Moynihan, Faulkner.

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS AND PUBLIC SAFETY — Chairman Reynolds, Hurd, Palmer, Moynihan, Moran.

LICENSES AND PERMITS — Chairman Hall, Moran, Palmer, Murray, Liston.

PUBLIC PROPERTY AND PUBLIC WORKS — Chairman Faulkner, Hall, Palmer, Reynolds, Stackpole.

VETERANS' AID AND PENSIONS — Chairman Moynihan, Faulkner, Moran.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Chairman, THOMAS J. BURKE

Vice-Chairman, NELSON W. IRVING

HON. G. EDWARD BRADLEY
Mayor, ex-officio

JOSEPH F. McEVOY, JR.
President of the Board of Aldermen, ex-officio

WARD ONE
FREDERICK J. RYAN.....27 Austin Street

WARD TWO
FRANCIS H. BROWN.....34 Bow Street

WARD THREE
ARTHUR P. FITZGERALD.....60 Atherton Street
MRS. ELIZABETH M. FITZGERALD
Military Substitute 60 Atherton Street

WARD FOUR
WILLIAM B. BAILEY.....224 School Street

WARD FIVE
WILLIAM J. SHEA.....10 Aberdeen Road

WARD SIX
NELSON W. IRVING 24 Cutter Avenue

WARD SEVEN
THOMAS J. BURKE 38 Burnham Street

Assistant Superintendent, LEO C. DONAHUE
Superintendent and Secretary, EVERETT W. IRELAND

Regular meetings last Monday of each month, except July and August.

ASSESSORS

CHARLES R. BRUNELLE, Chairman, term expires 1947
MAURICE F. AHEARN, term expires 1948
JOHN B. CARR, term expires 1948
FRANCIS MacDONALD, term expires 1946
WINFIELD S. PATTERSON, term expires 1947

BOARD OF APPEALS

SOTER G. ZAHAROOOLIS, Chairman, term expires 1948
ANTHONYROSSELI, Secretary, term expires 1947
EDWARD GERRIOR, term expires 1948
GEORGE T. LOWDEN, term expires 1946
JOHN V. MOTTA, term expires 1946

Associate Members

CHARLES NOBILIO, term expires 1947
JOSEPH A. SOUZA, term expires 1948

BOARD OF HEALTH

JOSEPH H. McSWEENEY, M.D., Chairman, term expires 1946
ANTHONY F. COTA, term expires 1946
WALTER E. WHITTAKER, D.M.D., term expires 1947
Medical Inspector, WILFRED C. MacDONALD, M.D.
Inspectors of Animals and Provisions:
HENRY T. MURRAY JAMES A. DWYER
Inspector of Slaughtering, HENRY T. MURRAY
Inspector of Milk and Vinegar, WILLIAM H. WALLIS
Assistant Milk Inspector, JAMES C. MOORE
Supervisor of Dental Hygiene, DR. ANTHONY F. BIANCHI
Veterinarian, E. WILLIAM JOHANSEN, V. S.
Military Substitute, BERTRAM S. KILLIAN, V. S.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

MRS. ALICE I. McNAMARA, Chairman, term expires 1947
JOSEPH P. McCARRON, term expires 1946
EDWARD L. CONDON, term expires 1948
Agent, CHARLES J. WILLWERTH
Warden, City Home, GEORGE GOODRICH
Matron, City Home, ELIZABETH GOODRICH

LICENSING COMMISSION

JOSEPH D. LONERGAN, Chairman, term expires June 1946
JOHN C. HARRINGTON, term expires June 1947
RALPH B. JONES, term expires June 1948

PLANNING BOARD

DAVID B. NISSENBAUM, Chairman, term expires 1947
MARTIN KINSELLA, term expires 1950
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REPORT OF THE STREET COMMISSIONER

Office of the Street Commissioner,
City Hall, Somerville, Massachusetts
January 1, 1946

To His Honor, the Mayor, and the Board of Aldermen:—

Gentlemen:—

I respectfully submit the seventieth annual report containing a brief summary of the work performed by the Highway Department, during the year 1945, with recommendations for necessary additions the coming year.

This department has charge of the construction, alterations, repair, maintainance and management of ways, streets, sidewalks and bridges: the setting out and care of shade trees: the suppression of gypsy and brown tail moths, elm leaf beetles and other pests injurious to trees: and the cleaning of streets

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

	Appropriation	Expenditures
Highways—Sidewalks Maintenance	\$154,303.82	\$153,886.00
Street Cleaning	40,144.62	38,473.32
Suppression of Moths—Care of Trees	10,183.44	8,555.26
Snow Removal	34,500.00	34,455.33
	239,131.88	\$235,369.91

SNOW AND ICE

All streets were plowed and opened for traffic, snow was removed from the principal business centers, also around all public buildings and grounds. Special requests for funerals, weddings and other occasions were given prompt attention. Owing to so few dumping places for the disposal of snow, it is necessary to make long hauls from some parts of the city. This delays the work unless a large force of extra men and trucks are employed. I recommend that better facilities for dumping be provided to save this extra expense.

Warning signs were posted on streets where coasting was allowed and ashes spread at the foot of hills for the protection of the public. Icy and slippery streets and sidewalks were made safe as soon as possible.

HIGHWAYS AND SIDEWALKS MAINTENANCE

Police and public reports pertaining to all kinds of defects in the streets and sidewalks were given prompt attention. General repairs were made on streets, brick and granolithic sidewalks. Edgestones were reset and gutters relaid. Dirt sidewalks were graded and filled or replaced with granolithic.

Due to Government restrictions on all kinds of road materials, reconstruction of streets and replacement of sidewalks was limited. Many streets and sidewalks require extensive repairs but owing to conditions it is only possible to do temporary work by patching, filling in depressions and making highways safe for public travel.

STREET CLEANING

Two new street sweepers were purchased by the Highway Department this year. In the early hours of the morning the main thoroughfares and squares were cleaned thus avoiding traffic and parked autos. The side streets were given regular attention during the day.

I recommend that additional automatic sweeping machines be purchased to increase the efficiency of this department.

SUPPRESSION OF MOTHS—CARE OF TREES

This department cares for trees, both public and private, in regard to moths and other tree pests. Gypsy and satin moth nests were painted with creosote. Tussock, tent and brown tail moth nests were destroyed and dead or decayed limbs cut out. Trees were removed when necessary.

The majority of the public trees in the city are in good condition. New trees have been planted on request. Guards

and supports for young trees have been renewed. On account of the hard paved streets and sidewalks preventing moisture, city trees do not thrive as on private property and parks.

I recommend the purchase of a new motor power sprayer. The present equipment is antiquated and requires constant overhauling.

TRAFFIC CONTROL

Traffic lines were painted and warning signs erected at schools, playgrounds and dangerous intersections or locations. Particular attention has been given to painting of cross walk lines in business centers and squares. Parking and No Parking signs at designated locations and safety zones were plainly marked.

MISCELLANEOUS

Permits were issued to the various corporations and contractors by this department, to open streets and sidewalks. Said openings to be restored to original conditions at the expense of the petitioners. To cross sidewalks and occupy streets for buildings purposes, permits were issued on specified conditions. Driveways for garages and filling stations were constructed after the owners petitioned for same and deposited a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of the construction.

This department maintains its own municipal repair shop for the various lines of work. Most of the maintainance and repair work on the motor equipment of the department is done in our shop at the city stables.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I recommend that, as far as possible, old brick sidewalks be replaced by granolithic. That the city purchase several trucks to replace the very old equipment now in use in the highway department. Snow loaders and snow fighters could be used to great advantage for snow removal thus saving large sums of money for rental.

In conclusion I wish to take this opportunity to thank His Honor, the Mayor, the members of the Board of Aldermen and the employees of the department for their support and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

Street Commissioner.

TABLE SHOWING THE LOCATION, LENGTH AND WIDTH OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE STREETS

Street	From	To	Public or Private	With in Feet	Length Public Private
Abdell	Somerville ave.	Southwesterly	Private	25	203
Aberdeen rd.	Cedar st.	Highland ave.	Public	40	432
Aberdeen rd. ex.	Angle	Westerly	Private	30	52
Acadia pk.	Somerville ave.	Northeasterly	Public	40	256
Adams	Broadway	Medford st.	Public	40	907
Adelaide rd.	Somerville ave.	Northeasterly	Private	20	138
Adrian	Marion st.	Joseph st.	Public	40	579
Albion pl.	Albion st.	Northeasterly	Private	10	166
Albion ct.	Albion st.	Southeasterly	Private	16	116
Albion	Central st.	Cedar st.	Public	40	2,733
Albion	Broadway	Medford line	Private	50	100
Albion ter.	Albion st.	Southwesterly	Public	25	100
Aldersey	Walnut st.	Vinal ave.	Public	40	508
Aldrich	McGrath H'wy	B. & L. R.R.	Public	40	417
*Alewife Brk Pky	Mystic Val. pky.	Cambridge line	Public	.....	4,775
Alfred	Broadway	Medford line	Private	50	50
Allen	Somerville ave.	Charlestown st.	Public	25	640
Allen ct.	Park st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	150
Alpine	Cedar st.	Southeasterly	Public	30	667
Alpine	Alpine st.	Lowell st.	Public	40	688
Alston	Cross st.	Shawmut st.	Public	10-30	757
Ames	Bartlett st.	Robinson st.	Public	40	580
Appleton	Willow ave.	Liberty ave.	Public	40	668
Arlington	Franklin st.	Lincoln st.	Public	40	452
Arnold ave.	Porter st.	Southeasterly	Private	15	127
Arnold ct.	Beacon st.	Northeasterly	Private	10	115
Arthur ct.	Linden st.	Easterly	Private	about 10	100
Arthur	Broadway	Bonair st.	Public	40	433
Ash ave.	Meacham st.	East Albion st.	Public	40	554
†Ash ave.	East Albion st.	Northeasterly	Private	40	151
Ashland	Summer st.	Sartwell ave.	Public	30	478
Atherton	Central st.	Spring st.	Public	40	741
Auburn ave.	Cross st.	McGrath H'wy d'end	Public	30	479
Austin	Broadway	Mystic ave.	Public	40	716
Autumn	Broadway	Bonair st.	Public	20	408
Avon	School st.	Central st.	Public	40	1,360
Avon pl.	Cross st.	B. & L. R.R.	Private	25	150
Bailey rd.	Ten Hills rd.	Shore drive	Public	40	1,710
Bailey rd. ex.	Fellsway	Ten Hills rd ex.	Across		
Bailey	North st.	West Adams st.	Public	40	420
Banks	Elm st.	Summer st.	Public	40	639
Bartlett	Vernon st.	Broadway	Public	40	1,550
Barton	Broadway	Hamilton rd.	Public	40	382
Bay State ave.	Broadway	Foskett st.	Public	40	1,240
Beach ave.	Webster ave.	Columbia st.	Private	about 20	200
Beacon pl.	Beacon st.	Northeasterly	Private	15	200
Beacon	E. Camb. line	Somerville ave.	Public	66	6,079
Beacon ter.	Somerville ave.	Northeasterly	Private	24	110
Bean ter.	Cutter st.	Southeasterly	Private	16	100
Beckwith clr.	Beacon st.	Southwesterly	Private	28.5	112
Bedford	South st.	Cambridge line	Public	30	165
Beech	Somerville ave.	Atherton st.	Public	40	327
Belknap	Broadway	Hamilton rd.	Public	40	449
Bellevue ter.	Albion st.	Northeasterly	Private	20	90
Belmont	Somerville ave.	Highland ave.	Public	40	2,176
Belmont pl.	Belmont st.	Southeasterly	Public	25	177
Belmont sq.	Belmont st.	Southeasterly	Public	30	75
Belmont sq.	End of above	N. E. & S. W.	Public	20	145
Belmont ter.	Belmont st.	Easterly	Private	15	137
Benedict ave.	Broadway	Benedict st.	Private	20	200
Benedict	Union st.	Austin st.	Public	40	581

* Metropolitan Park Commission Boulevard.

† Proposed.

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	Width in Feet	Length	
					Public	Private
Bennett ct.	Bennett st.	Prospect st.	Private	10	.....	100
Bennett	Prospect st.	Bennett ct.	Private	40 to 25	.....	400
Benton rd.	Summer st.	Hudson st.	Public	40	1,208	.....
Berkeley	School st.	Central st.	Public	40	1,360	.....
Berwick	Hinckley st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	.....	170
Bigelow	Boston st.	Munroe st.	Public	50	208	.....
Billingham	Broadway	William st.	Public	40	563	.....
Bishop's pl.	Glen st.	Easterly	Private	10	.....	75
Blakeley ave.	Cross st.	McGrath H'wy	Private	40	.....	605
Bleachery ct.	Somerville ave.	Fitchburg R.R.	Private	30	.....	450
Bolton	Jak st.	Houghton st.	Public	40	476	.....
Bonair	Cross st.	Walnut st.	Public	40	1,427	.....
Bond	Broadway	Jakes st.	Public	40	662	.....
Bonner ave.	Washington st.	Columbus ave.	Public	40	376	.....
Boston ave.	Medford line	Mystic River	Public	60	915	.....
Boston ave.	Broadway	Medford line	Public	50	80	.....
Boston ave.	Broadway	Highland rd.	Public	65	287	.....
Boston ave.	Highland rd.	Angle	Public	50	655	.....
Boston ave.	Angle	Morrison ave.	Public	40	1,025	.....
Boston	Washington st.	Prospect Hill ave.	Public	45	640	.....
Boston	Prospect Hill ave.	Walnut st.	Public	40	1,242	.....
Bow	Union sq.	Wesley sq.	Public	60	658	.....
Bow	Wesley sq.	Somerville ave.	Public	50	570	.....
Bow st. pl.	Bow st.	Northwesterly	Private	40	.....	300
Bowdoin	Washington st.	Lincoln pk.	Public	40	341	.....
Bowers ave.	Cottage ave.	Elm st.	Private	24	.....	288
Bradford ave.	School st.	Southeasterly	Public	37	162	.....
Bradley	Pearl st.	Walter st.	Public	40	762	.....
Braemore rd.	Broadway	Medford line	Private	40	.....	2
Brastow ave.	Lowell st.	Porter st.	Public	40	636	.....
Bristol rd.	Broadway	Medford line	Public	40	146	.....
Broadway	Charlestown line	Cross st.	Public	100	2,500	.....
Broadway	Cross st.	Marshall st.	Public	100 to 200	2,060	.....
Broadway	Marshall st.	Main st.	Public	100	1,570	.....
Broadway	Main st.	Top of Hill	Public	100 to 90	1,030	.....
Broadway	Top of Hill	Albion st.	Public	90	2,540	.....
Broadway	Albion st.	Willow ave.	Public	90 to 70	1,030	.....
Broadway	Willow ave.	Paulina st.	Public	70	3,250	.....
Broadway	Paulina st.	Arlington line	Public	65-60-65	3,220	.....
Broadway pl.	Broadway	Southwesterly	Private	22	.....	250
Bromfield rd.	Warner st.	Dearborn rd.	Public	40	1,262	.....
Brook	Glen st.	Cross st.	Public	40	504	.....
Browning rd.	Sycamore st.	Central st.	Public	40	679	.....
Buckingham	Beacon st.	Dimick st.	Public	40	292	.....
Buena Vista rd.	Holland st.	Southwesterly	Private	35	.....	276
Burnham	Broadway	Pow. House Bl.	Public	40	543	.....
Burnside ave.	Elm st.	Summer st.	Public	40	720	.....
Butler drive	Mystic ave.	Temple st.	Public	40	523	.....
Cady ave.	Simpson ave.	W. side Corinthian rd.	Public	40	158	.....
Cady ave.	Corinthian rd.	Dead end	Private	40	.....	45
Caldwell ave.	Washington st.	Southerly	Private	20	.....	210
Calvin	Beacon st.	Dimick st.	Public	40	263	.....
Calvin	Dimick st.	Washington st.	Public	30	392	.....
Cambria	Central st.	Renton rd.	Public	40	488	.....
Cameron ave.	Holland st.	Cambridge line	Public	60	1,065	.....
Campbell pk.	Meacham rd.	Kingston st.	Public	40	399	.....
Campbell pk. pl.	Kingston st.	Arl'ton Br. R.R.	Private	20	.....	84
Capen	Medford line	Mystic Val pky	Private	40	.....	495
Carlton	Somerville ave.	Jakes st.	Public	40	300	.....
Carter ter.	Summer st.	Easterly	Public	40	171	.....
Caruso pl.	McGrath H'wy	Northwesterly	Private	10	.....	110
Carver	Porter st.	Northwesterly	Private	40	.....	156
Cedar ave.	Cedar st.	Linden av.	Public	22	293	.....
Cedar ct.	Cedar st.	Southeasterly	Private	15+	.....	70+
Cedar st. pl.	Murdock st.	Southwesterly	Private	20	.....	378
Cedar st. pl.	Cedar N Elm st.	Southeasterly	Private	12+	.....	80+

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	Width in Feet	Length Public Private
Cedar	Elm st.	Broadway	Public	40	4,137
Central rd.	Central st.	E'ly and N'ly	Public	40	377
Central rd.	Central st.	Sycamore st.	Public	30 to 15	221
Central	Somerville ave.	Summer st.	Public	33	1,043
Central	Summer st.	Medford st.	Public	40	2,534
Central	Medford st.	Broadway	Public	45	1,072
Centre	Albion st.	B. & L. R.R.	Private	35	200
Century	Meacham st.	Dead end	Public	40	431
Chandler	Park ave.	Broadway	Public	40	1,232
Chapel	College ave.	Chandler st.	Public	40	273
Charles	Washington st.	Southerly	Public	30	166
Chas. E. Ryan rd.	Broadway	Southwesterly	Private	45	920
Charlestown	Allen st.	Merriam st.	Private	15	400
Charnwood rd.	Willow ave.	Hancock st.	Public	40	589
Cherry	Elm st.	Highland ave.	Public	45	1,400
Cherry	Highland ave.	Northeasterly	Private	45	110
Chester	Elm st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	885
Chester ave.	Cross st.	McGrath H'wy	Public	20	472
Chester pl.	Chester st.	Northwesterly	Private	40	200
Chestnut	Poplar st.	Southeasterly	Public	40	537
Chetwynd rd.	Curtis st.	West Adams st.	Public	40	852
Church	Summer st.	Lake st.	Public	40	964
Claremon	Holland st.	Mead st.	Public	40	560
Clarendon ave.	Broadway	Cambridge line	Public	40	1,217
Clark	Newton st.	Lincoln pky.	Public	35	552
Cleveland	Central st.	Harvard st.	Public	40	459
Clifton	Appleton st.	Morrison ave.	Public	40	240
Clifton	Morrison ave.	Arl'ton Br R.R.	Private	40	220
Clyde	Cedar st.	Murdock st.	Public	30	664
College ave.	Davis sq.	Medford line	Public	60	3,894
College cir.	College av. around to College av.		Private	10 and 12	284
College Hill rd.	Conwell ave.	North st.	Public	40	449
Columbia	Webster ave.	Cambridge line	Public	40	816
Columbia ct.	Columbia st.	Webster ave.	Private	9	150
Columbus ave.	Washington st.	Walnut st.	Public	40	1,481
Concord ave.	Prospect st.	Wyatt st.	Public	40	1,497
Concord ave.	Wyatt st.	Beacon st.	Public	30	472
Congress pl.	McGrath H'wy	Linwood st.	Public	50	182
Conlon ct.	Columbia st.	Easterly	Private	20	200
Connecticut ave.	Mystic ave.	Penn. ave.	Public	40	487
Conwell ave.	Curtis st.	North st.	Public	40	1,346
Conwell	Highland ave.	Southwesterly	Public	35	363
Cooney	Beacon st.	Line st.	Public	30	241
Corinthian rd.	Broadway	Cady ave.	Public	40	580
Cottage ave.	Russell st.	Chester st.	Public	40	550
Cottage cir.	Cottage ave.	Southwesterly	Private	25	87
Cottage pl.	Washington st.	Northwesterly	Private	about 11	150
Craigie	Somerville ave.	Summer st.	Public	50	1,280
Craigie ter.	16 Craigie st.	Westerly	Private	25	128
Crescent	Boston line	Hadley st.	Public	30 and 22	387
Crescent	Hadley st.	Pearl st.	Public	30	174
Crest Hill rd.	Ten Hills rd.	Shore drive	Public	40	250
Crocker	Highland ave.	Crown st.	Public	40	528
Cross	Broadway	McGrath H'wy	Public	45	2,556
Cross st. (East)	Broadway	Mystic ave.	Public	40	1,100
Cross st. pl.	Cross st.	Northwesterly	Private	24	150
Crown	Lowell st.	Porter st.	Private	25	686
Cummings	Fellsway	Middlesex ave.	Private	40	625
Curtis ave.	Curtis st.	Hillsdale rd.	Public	40	654
Curtis	Broadway	Medford line	Public	40	2,276
Cutler	Hinckley st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	170
Cutter ave.	Summer st.	Highland ave.	Public	40	480
Cutter pk.	Cutter ave.	Northwesterly	Private	12	83
Cutter	Broadway	Webster st.	Public	40	730
Cypress	Central st.	Beech st.	Public	40	262
Dana	Pearl st.	Bonair st.	Public	35+	732
Dane	Somerville ave.	Washington st.	Public	40	1,341
Dane ave.	Dane st.	Leland st.	Public	30	569

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	With Feet	Length in Public Private
Dante ter.	Craigie st.	Westerly	Private	25	125
Dartmouth	Medford st.	Broadway	Public	40	1,465
Day	Elm st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	908
Dearborn rd.	Boston ave.	College ave.	Public	50	469
Delaware	Pearl st.	McGrath H'wy	Public	40	352
Dell	Glen st.	Tufts st.	Public	40	466
Derby	Temple st.	Wheatland st.	Public	40	991
Dexter	Broadway	Medford line	Private	50	25
Dickinson	Springfield st.	Beacon st.	Public	40	772
Dickson	Broadway	Fairmount ave.	Public	40	271
Dimick	Concord ave.	Calvin st.	Public	40	957
Dix pl.	Linwood st.	Southwesterly	Private	10	100
Douglas ave.	Edgar ave.	Southeasterly	Public	30	162
Dover	Elm st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	975
Dow	Pow. House Bd.	Ware st.	Public	40	257
Downer pl.	Downer st.	B. & L. R.R.	Private	20	125
Downer	Nashua st.	Southeasterly	Private	20	120
Dresden cir.	Cutter ave.	Westerly	Private	30	133
Durant	Washington st.	Southerly	Private	20	200
Durham	Beacon st.	Hanson st.	Public	40	423
Earle	South st.	Northerly	Private	30	332
Earle	End of above	Fitchburg R.R.	Private	15	115
East Albion	Mt. Vernon ave.	E. of Moreland st	Private	25	188
East Albion	E. of Moreland st.	Moreland	Private	40	77
East Albion	Moreland st.	West side Fremont st.	Public	31	233
East Albion	Fremont st.	Medford line	Private	40	128
Eastman rd.	Highland ave.	Southwesterly	Public	40	296
Edgar ave.	Main st.	Meacham st.	Public	50	850
Edgar ct.	Edgar ave.	Century st.	Public	40	118
Edgar ter.	Edgar ave.	Century st.	Public	40	118
Edmands	Broadway	near Bonair st.	Public	35-5	376
Edmonton av.	Cross st.	McGrath H'wy	Private	40	605
Electric ave.	Mason st.	Curtis st.	Public	40	1,314
Eliot	Vine st.	Park st.	Public	40	291
Ellington rd.	Highland ave.	Northeasterly	Private	35	120
Ellington rd.	Ellington rd.	Southeasterly	Private	30	265
Ellsworth	Cross st.	Rush st.	Public	40	230
Elm ct.	Villa st.	Northwesterly	Private	18	70
Elm pl.	Harvard st.	Westerly	Private	30	190
Elm	Somerville ave.	Cherry st.	Public	63	1,657
Elm	Cherry st.	White st.	Public	63 to 60	205
Elm	White st.	Ranks st.	Public	60	526
Elm	Banks st.	Beech st.	Public	60 to 77.5	347
Elm	Beech st.	Tenney st.	Public	77.5 to 60	665
Elm	Tenney st.	Davis sq.	Public	60	1,429
Elmwood	Holland st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	1,057
Elmwood ter.	Elmwood st.	Easterly	Private	20	190
Elston	Elm st.	Summer st.	Public	40	396
Emerson	Everett st.	Newton st.	Private	30	170
Endicott av.	Broadway	Hooker ave.	Private	40	780
Essex	Medford st.	Richdale ave.	Public	40	232
Eustis	Beacon st.	Cambridge line	Public	30	146
Everett ave.	Cross st.	McGrath H'wy	Public	40	736
Everett	Webster ave.	Newton st.	Private	30	350
Evergreen ave.	Marshall st.	Sycamore st.	Public	40	1,180
Evergreen sq.	Porter st.	Southeasterly	Private	22	179
Exchange pl.	Washington st.	Southerly	Private	4.5	70
Fairfax	North st.	Alewife Bk pky	Public	40	945
Fairlee	Cherry st.	Northwesterly	Public	30	144
Fairmount av.	Curtis st.	Northwesterly	Public	40	679
Fairview ter.	Sycamore st.	Southwesterly	Private	15	173
Farragut ave.	Broadway	Hooker ave.	Public	40	875
*Fellsway	Mystic ave.	Mystic River	Public	70 to 130	2,500

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	With in Feet	Length Public Private
*Fellsway West (Chauncey av)	Broadway	Mystic ave.	Public	50	1,324
Fennell	Hinckley st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 175
Fenwick	Broadway	Jaques st.	Public	40	 601
Fisk ave.	Lowell st.	Hinckley st.	Public	20	 484
Fitchburg ct.	Fitchburg st.	Southwesterly	Private	10	 225
Fitchburg	Linwood st.	B. & L. R.R.	Private	40	 410
Flint ave.	Flint st.	Northerly	Public	40	 202
Flint	Franklin st.	McGrath H'wy (dead end)	Public	40	1,658
Florence	Washington st.	Perkins st.	Public	40	1,248
Florence ter.	Jaques st.	Southwesterly	Private	20	 90
Foley	Middlesex ave.	Northerly	Public	50	 895
Forest	Beacon st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	 117
Forster	Sycamore st.	Central st.	Public	30	 451
Foskett	Willow ave.	Liberty ave.	Public	40	 668
Fountain ave.	Cross st.	Glen st.	Public	30	 578
Francesca ave.	College ave.	Liberty ave.	Public	40	 762
Francis	Porter st.	Conwell st.	Public	30	 180
Franklin ave.	Washington st.	Franklin st.	Public	20	 575
Franklin pl.	Franklin st.	Southeasterly	Private	15	 100
Franklin	Broadway	Washington st.	Public	40+	2,301
Fremont ave.	Bowdoin st.	Lincoln Pk.	Public	30	 232
Fremont	Main st.	Nr. E. Albion st	Public	40	1,072
Fremont	Nr E Albion st.	E. Albion st.	Private	40	 59
Fremont	E. Albion st.	Northerly	Public	40	 183
Garden ct.	Somerville ave.	Fitchburg R.R.	Private	25	 370
Garfield ave.	Broadway	Blakely ave.	Public	40	 447
Garfield ave.	Blakeley ave.	Middlesex ave.	Private	40	 982
Garrison ave.	Broadway	Hooker ave.	Public	40	 871
George	Broadway	Lincoln ave.	Public	30	 275
Gibbens	Central st.	Benton rd. w'ly	Public	40	 625
Giles pk.	Walnut st.	Northwesterly	Public	32.71	167
Gill's ct.	Franklin st.	Westerly	Private	10	 100
Gilman	Cross st.	Walnut st.	Public	40	1,430
Gilman ter.	Pearl st.	Northeasterly	Public	40	 360
Gilson ter.	Linden ave.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 124
Glen	Broadway	Tufts st.	Public	40	2,207
Glendale ave.	Cameron ave.	Yorktown st.	Public	40	 410
Glenwood rd.	Vernon st.	Broadway	Public	40	1,514
Glover cir.	Meacham rd.	Southeasterly	Private	20	 110
Gordon	North st.	Alewife Bk pky	Public	40	1,254
Gorham	Holland st.	Howard st.	Public	40	 763
Gould ave.	Porter st.	Southeasterly	Private	16	 156
Gove ct.	Cedar st.	Southeasterly	Private	18	 144
Gov. Win'hp rd.	Ten Hills rd.	Temple rd.	Public	40	 761
Gov. Win'hp rd.	Temple rd.	Shore drive	Private	40	 766
Gov. Winthrop rd.	Fellsway	Ten Hills rd. ex.	State land	40	83
Grand View ave.	Walnut st.	Vinal ave.	Public	40	 542
Granite	Somerville ave.	Osgood st.	Public	40	 411
Grant	Broadway	Mystic ave.	Public	40	1,364
Greene	Summer st.	Laurel st.	Public	40	 555
Greenville	McGrath H'wy	Munroe st.	Public	40	 651
Greenville ter.	Greenville st.	Northerly	Private	20	 250
Greenwood ter.	Beacon st.	Northeasterly	Private	25	 165
Grove	Elm st.	Morrison ave.	Public	40	 943
Gussie ter.	Porter st.	Linden ave.	Private	10	 312
Hadley ct.	Franklin st.	Westerly	Private	16	 74
Hall ave.	College ave.	Liberty ave.	Public	40	 926
Hall	Cedar st.	Cherry st.	Public	30	 456
Hamlet	Highland ave.	Boston st.	Public	30	 616
Hamilton rd.	Russell rd.	North st.	Public	40	 560
Hammond	Dickinson st.	Concord ave.	Public	40	 267
Hancock	Elm st.	Highland ave.	Public	40	1,302

* Metropolitan Park Commission Boulevard.

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	With	Length	
				in Feet	Public	Private
Hancock	Highland ave.	Lexington ave.	Public	50	376	.....
Hanson ave.	Hanson st.	Easterly	Private	30	.....	252
Hanson	Washington st.	Skehan st.	Public	30	454	.....
Hanson	Skehan st.	Vine st.	Public	35	366	.....
Hardan rd.	Pow. House Blv.	Southerly	Public	40	183	.....
Hardan rd.	End of above	Ware st.	Private	20	.....	100
Harding	No. of Ward st.	Cambridge line	Public	30	465	.....
Harold	Dimick st.	Marion st.	Public	40	316	.....
Harold	Woods ave.	Medford line	Private	40	.....	4
Harrison	Ivaloo st.	Kent st.	Public	40	644	.....
Harrison	Elmwood st.	Southeasterly	Private	40	.....	210
Harvard pl.	Harvard st.	Westerly	Private	35	.....	200
Harvard	Summer st.	Beech st.	Public	40	717	.....
Hathorn	Broadway	Arlington st.	Public	40	339	.....
Hawthorne	Willow ave.	Cutter ave.	Public	30	807	.....
Hawkins	Somerville ave.	Washington st.	Public	40	330	.....
Hayden ter.	Linden ave.	Easterly	Private	20	.....	120
Heath	Temple st.	Bond st.	Public	45	1,043	.....
Heath	Bond st.	Moreland st.	Public	40	754	.....
Henderson	Richardson st.	B. & L. R.R.	Public	20	569	.....
Hennessy ct.	Medford st.	Fisk ave.	Private	20	.....	250
Henrietta ct.	Somerville ave.	Northerly	Private	8 and 20	.....	161
Henry ave.	Highland ave.	Lexington ave.	Public	40	290	.....
Herbert	Chester st.	Day st.	Public	40	337	.....
Hersey	Berkeley st.	Oxford st.	Private	40	.....	230
Higgins ct.	Mt. Vernon st.	Westerly	Private	16	.....	149
High	North st.	Alewife Bk pky	Public	40	689	.....
Highland ave.	Medford st.	Davis sq.	Public	60	9,062	.....
Highland rd.	Morrison ave.	Arl'ton Br R.R.	Public	70	107	.....
†Highland rd.	Morrison ave.	Boston ave.	Pub. 30(70wide)	1,499	.....	.....
Hill	Broadway	Fairmount ave.	Public	40	284	.....
Hillsdale rd.	Conwell ave.	Sunset rd.	Public	40	632	.....
Hillsdale rd.	Sunset rd.	Medford line	Private	40	.....	282
Hillsdale rd.	14 ft. of width	in Medford				
Hillside ave.	Pearl st.	Southwesterly	Private	30	.....	150
Hillside cir.	Craigie st.	Westerly	Private	16	.....	151
Hillside pk.	Walnut st.	Northwesterly	Public	40	196	.....
Hinckley	Broadway	B. & L. R.R.	Public 30 and 35	1,081	.....	.....
Hodgdon pl.	Dane ave.	Northeasterly	Private about 20	.....	150	.....
Holden Green	Cambridge line	Northwesterly	Private	70	.....	120
Holland	Davis sq.	Broadway	Public	60	2,607	.....
Holt's ave.	Oak st.	Southeasterly	Private	10	.....	100
Holyoke rd.	Elm st. around	to Elm st.	Public	40	637	.....
Homer sq.	Bonner ave.	Northwesterly	Public	30+	204	.....
Hooker ave.	Nr. Clarendon av.	Endicott ave.	Private	40	.....	329
Hooker ave.	Endicott ave.	Victoria st.	Public	40	683	.....
Horace	South st.	Fitchburg R.R.	Public	30	517	.....
Houghton	Springfield st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	653	.....
Howard	Thorndike st.	Gorham st.	Public	40	431	.....
Howe	Marshall st.	School st.	Public	40	447	.....
Hudson	Central st.	Cedar st.	Public	40	2,758	.....
Hunting	South st.	Cambridge line	Public	30	117	.....
Ibbetson	Somerville ave.	Lowell st.	Public	40	802	.....
Illinois ave.	Broadway	Penn. ave.	Public	40	427	.....
Indiana ave.	Broadway	Penn. ave.	Public	40	384	.....
Irving	Holland st.	Broadway	Public	40	1,176	.....
Irrington rd.	Mystic Val. pky	Medford line	Public	40	484	.....
Ivaloo	Beacon st.	Park st.	Public	40	690	.....
Jackson rd.	Walnut st.	Northwesterly	Public	40	548	.....
James	Pearl st.	Radcliffe rd.	Public	40	317	.....
Jaques	Fellsway West	Temple st.	Public	40	1,134	.....
Jaques	Temple st.	Bond st.	Public	45	1,037	.....
Jaques	Bond st.	Edgar ave.	Public	40	395	.....
Jasper pl.	Walnut st.	Easterly	Private	20	.....	8

† Roadway (only) accepted 30 feet wide, full width of street 70 feet.

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	Width in Feet	Length Public Private
Jasper	Pearl st.	Gilman st.	Public	40	283
Jay	Holland st.	Howard st.	Public	40	534
Jerome ct.	Sycamore st.	Jerome st.	Private	10	 150
Jerome	Montrose st.	Jerome ct.	Private	20	 125
Joseph	Newton st.	Lincoln pky	Public	40	 458
Josephine ave.	Morrison ave.	Broadway	Public	45	1,679
Joy	Washington st.	Poplar st.	Public	30	1,121
Joy st. pl.	Joy st.	Southwesterly	Private	16	 168
Kenneson rd.	Broadway	Walnut rd.	Private	30	 338
Kensington ave.	Broadway	Middlesex ave.	Public	40	1,604
Kent ct.	Kent st.	Northerly	Private	about 25	 420
Kent	Somerville ave.	Fitchburg R.R.	Public	40	292
Kent	Fitchburg R.R.	Beacon st.	Public	25	386
Kenwood	College ave.	Billingham st.	Public	40	322
Kidder ave.	College ave.	Boston ave.	Public	40	2,344
Kilby	Somerville ave.	Southwesterly	Private	20	 180
Kilsyth rd.	Broadway	Medford line	Private	40	 5
Kimball	Loweil st.	Craigie st.	Private	40	 303
Kingman rd.	Washington st.	Fitchburg R.R.	Private	25	 400
Kingston	Meacham rd.	Cambridge line	Public	40	647
Knapp	School st.	Granite st.	Public	40	379
Knowlton	Tufts st.	N'E' line Est. 37	Public	40	461
Knowlton	End of above	Oliver st.	Private	40	 464
Lake	Hawkins st.	Church st.	Public	40	825
Lamson Ct.	Linwood st.	Poplar st.	Private	20	 370
Landers	School st.	Westerly	Public	40	228
Langmaid ave.	Broadway	Heath st.	Public	30	353
Latin way	Professors row	Talbot ave.	Private	60	 250
Laurel ave.	Laurel st.	Northwesterly	Private	18	 125
Laurel	Somerville ave.	Summer st.	Public	40	983
Laurel ter.	Laurel st.	Southeasterly	Public	23	256
Lawson ter.	Putnam st.	Easterly	Private	15	 200
Lee	Medford st.	Richdale ave.	Public	40	387
Leland	Washington st.	Dane ave.	Public	40	359
Leon	Concord ave.	Dickinson st.	Public	40	155
Leonard pl.	Joy st.	Northeasterly	Private	13+	 93
Leonard	Broadway	Pow. House Bd.	Public	40	450
Lesley ave.	Highland ave.	Lexington ave.	Public	40	333
Lester ter.	Meacham rd.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 190
Lewis	Magnus ave.	Dead end	Public	40	416
Lexington ave.	Willow ave.	Hancock st.	Public	50	624
Lexington ave.	Hancock st.	Angle	Public	45 to 40	147
Lexington ave.	Angle	Cedar st.	Public	40	578
Liberty ave.	Broadway	Appleton st.	Public	40	1,453
Liberty rd.	Morrison ave.	Liberty ave.	Private	16	 200
Lincoln ave.	Lincoln st.	Mt. Vernon st.	Public	30	478
Lincoln pky.	Washington st.	Perry st.	Public	40	1,520
Lincoln pl.	Lincoln ave.	Northerly	Private	9	 120
Lincoln	Broadway	Perkins st.	Public	40	545
Linden ave.	Elm st.	Cedar ave.	Public	45	1,379
Linden cir.	Linden ave.	Southeasterly	Private	24	 120
Linden pl.	Linden ave.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 160
Linden	Somerville ave.	Charlestown st.	Public	33	587
Line	Washington st.	Cambridge line	Public	33	1,727
Line	13 ft. of width in	Cambridge			
Linehan ct.	Linwood st.	Chestnut st.	Private	about 15	 200
Linwood pl.	Linwood st.	Southwesterly	Private	about 12	 150
Linwood	Washington st.	Fitchburg st.	Public	50	2,053
London	Linwood st.	B. & L. R.R.	Private	40	 404
Loring	Somerville ave.	Osgood st.	Public	40	413
Louisburg pl.	Autumn st.	Easterly	Private	13	 90
Lovell	Broadway	Electric ave.	Public	40	385
Lowden ave.	Broadway	Foskett st.	Public	40	1,247
Lowell	Somerville ave.	Summer st.	Public	36	1,259
Lowell	Summer st.	Medford st.	Public	40	3,320

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	Width in Feet	Length Public Private
Lowell cir.	Lowell st.	Westerly	Priv. 11	and 27.5	 143
Lowell ter.	Lowell st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 150
Madison	School st.	Sycamore st.	Public	40	 891
Magnus ave.	Washington st.	Lewis st.	Public	40	 429
Magnus ave.	Lewis st.	Southerly	Private	40	 80
Main	Broadway	Medford line	Public	50	 973
Maine ave.	Mystic ave.	Penn. ave.	Public	40	 379
Maine ter.	Maine ave.	Southeasterly	Public	32	 205
Mallet	Willow ave.	Liberty ave.	Public	40	 617
Malloy ct.	Somerville ave.	Merriam ave.	Private	30	 255
Malvern ave.	Cameron ave.	Yorktown st.	Public	40	 410
Mansfield	Somerville ave.	Washington st.	Public	40	 735
Maple ave.	School st.	Southeasterly	Public	40	 319
Maple pl.	Marshall st.	Maple ave.	Private	5	 125
Maple	Poplar st.	McGrath H'wy	Public	30	 648
Mardel cir.	Spring st.	Northwesterly	Private	8	 140
Marion	Concord ave.	Dimick st.	Public	40	 1,147
Marshall	Broadway	Pearl st.	Public	40	 1,650
Mason	Broadway	Pow. House Bd.	Public	40	 681
May pl.	Hawkins st.	Easterly	Private	12	 100
McCarroll ct.	Clyde st.	Southwesterly	Private	25	 75
McGrath High'y	Cambridge line	Middlesex av.	Public	100-120	 9,164
McGregor ave.	Wigglesworth st.	Walnut st.	Private	13	 302
Meacham rd.	Dover st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	 1,060
Meacham	Edgar ave.	Medford line	Public	40	 777
Meacham st. ex.	Edgar ave.	Northeasterly	Private	40	 242
Mead	Moore st.	Nr. Cameron av	Public	40	 345
Mead	End of above	Cameron ave.	Private	40	 95
Medford East	Cambridge line	McGrath H'wy	Public	50	 1,538
Medford West	McGrath H'wy	Central st.	Public	50	 3,937
Medford	Central st.	Broadway	Public	55	 1,985
Melville rd.	Ten Hills rd.	Shore drive	Public	40	 281
Melvin	Broadway	Bonair st.	Public	40	 486
Merriam ave.	Merriam st.	Malloy ct.	Private	15	 255
Merriam	Washington st.	Somerville ave.	Public	40	 360
Merriam	Somerville ave.	Charlestown st.	Public	30	 510
Michigan ave.	Broadway	Penn. ave.	Public	40	 470
Middlesex ave.	Mystic ave.	Fellsway	Public	80	 2,354
Milk pl.	Somerville ave.	Southwesterly	Private about 30		 100
Miller	Sacramento st.	Beacon st.	Public	30-33	 466
Milton	Orchard st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	 223
Miner	Vernon st.	Ames st.	Public	40	 244
Minnesota ave.	Broadway	Penn. ave.	Public	40	 525
Mondamin ct.	Ivaloo st.	Harrison st.	Private	25	 250
Monmouth	Central st.	Westerly	Public	40	 267
Monmouth	End of above	Harvard st.	Private	35	 200
Montgomery av.	Broadway	Wellington ave.	Public	40	 265
Montrose ct.	Montrose st.	B. & L. R.R.	Private	12	 110
Montrose	School st.	Sycamore st.	Public	40	 886
Moore	Holland st.	Mead st.	Public	40	 695
Moreland	Main st.	Mystic ave.	Public	40	 1,471
Morgan	Beacon st.	Park st.	Public	40	 377
Morrison ave.	Cedar st.	Willow ave.	Public	50	 1,366
Morrison ave.	Willow ave.	College ave.	Public	40	 1,690
Morrison pl.	Morrison ave.	Northerly	Private	20	 190
Morrison pl.	Morrison pl.	Easterly	Private	15	 175
Mortimer pl.	Marshall st.	Easterly	Private	20	 172
Morton	Glen st.	Knowlton st.	Public	40	 287
Mossland	Somerville ave.	Elm st.	Public	40	 377
Mountain ave.	Porter st.	near Linden av.	Public	22	 280
Mousal pl.	No. Union st.	B. & M. R.R.	Private	20	 200
Mt. Pleasant ct.	Perkins st.	Southwesterly	Private	40	 260
Mt. Pleasant	Broadway	Perkins st.	Public	33	 584
Mt. Vernon ave.	Meacham st.	Mystic ave.	Private	50	 764
Mt. Vernon	Washington st.	Pearl st.	Public	40	 600
Mt. Vernon	Pearl st.	Perkins st.	Public	50	 473
Mt. Vernon	Perkins st.	Broadway	Public	40	 590

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	Width in Feet	Length Public Private
Munroe	Walnut st.	Easterly	Public	40	375
Munroe	End of above	Boston st.	Public	50	1,214
Murdock	Cedar st.	Clyde st.	Private	30	 853
Murray	Washington st.	Southerly	Public	30	 190
Museum	Beacon st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	 164
Myrtle ct.	Myrtle st.	Easterly	Private	10	 100
Myrtle pl.	Myrtle st.	Westerly	Private	20+	 120
Myrtle	Washington st.	Perkins st.	Public	40	 1,423
Mystic ave.	Charlest'n line	Union st.	Public	60	 384
Mystic ave.	Union st.	West line Con- necticut ave.	Public	66	 1,843
§Mystic ave.	West line Connecticut av.	Medford line	Public	66	 4,869
Mystic	Benedict st.	Mystic ave.	Public	40	 336
*Mystic Valley Parkway	Medford line	Arlington line	Public	60	 2,530
Nashua	Richardson st.	B. & L. R.R.	Public	35	 637
Nevada ave.	Village st.	Hanson st.	Private	20	 200
Newberne	Appleton st.	Morrison ave.	Public	40	 200
Newberne	Morrison ave.	Arl'ton Br R.R.	Private	40	 173
Newbury pk.	Newbury st.	Southeasterly	Private	55	 68
Newbury	Holland st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	 1,260
N. Hampshire ave.	Mystic ave.	Penn. ave.	Public	40	 406
Newman pl.	Cedar st.	Southeasterly	Private	15	 100
Newton pl.	Newton st.	Easterly	Private	about 10	 100
Newton	Prospect st.	Webster ave.	Public	25	 470
Newton	Webster ave.	Concord sq.	Public	40+	 637
Norfolk	Webster ave.	Cambridge line	Public	40	 283
North	Broadway	Medford line b. 17	Public	40	 1,861
North	Medford line b. 17	Medford line b. 18	Public	37 to 42	 649
North Union	Mystic ave.	Northeasterly	Public	35-40	 431
Norton	Nashua st.	Southeasterly	Private	20	 206
Norwood ave.	Broadway	Medford st.	Public	40	 350
Oak	Prospect st.	Angle	Public	40	 665
Oak	Angle	Cambridge line	Public	30	 563
Oak st. pl.	Oak st.	Northerly	Private	4	 85
Oak ter.	Elm st.	Northeasterly	Private	10+	 90
Oakland ave.	Marshall st.	School st.	Public	40	 430
Oakland	Cambridge line	Northerly	Private	30	 35
Olive ave.	Linden ave.	Peterson ter.	Private	25	 155
Olive sq.	Lake st.	Southerly	Private	about 15	 106
Oliver	Franklin st.	Cross st.	Public	40	 1,085
Orchard	Cambridge line	Meacham rd.	Public	40	 1,407
Osgood	Granite st.	E'ly and W'y	Private	40	 450
Ossipee rd.	Mason st.	Curtis st.	Public	40	 1,315
Otis	Cross st.	Wigglesworth st.	Public	40	 1,049
Oxford	School st.	Central st.	Public	35	 1,361
Oxford	Beacon st.	Cambridge line	Public	50	 90
Packard ave.	Broadway	Professors row	Public	60	 1,676
Packard ave.	Professors row	Medford line	Private	60	 240
Palmer ave.	Franklin st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 200
Park ave.	College ave.	Wallace st.	Public	40	 467
Park pl.	Laurel st.	Easterly	Private	30	 522
Park pl.	Park pl.	Northeasterly	Private	20	 120
Park	Somerville ave.	Beacon st.	Public	50	 1,222

§ State Highway, West line Connecticut Avenue to Medford line.

* Metropolitan Park Commission Boulevard.

† Land taken, Streets widened, and Constructed under name Northern Traffic Artery, State Highway; to be maintained by city.

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	Width in Feet	Length Public Private
Parkdale	Washington st.	Lewis st.	Public	40	500
Parker pl.	Porter st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 150
Parker	Washington st.	Fremont ave.	Public	35	 203
Partridge ave.	Vernon st.	Broadway	Public	40	1,452
Patten ct.	Cutter st.	Southeasterly	Private	8	 100
Paulina	Broadway	Holland st.	Public	40	769
Pearl	Crescent st.	Mt. Vernon st.	Public	37	341
Pearl	Mt. Vernon st.	Franklin st.	Public	50	957
Pearl	Franklin st.	Cross st.	Public	40	1,065
Pearl	Cross st.	Medford st.	Public	50	2,353
Pearl st. pl.	Pearl st.	Northeasterly	Public	20	166
Pearl ter.	Pearl st.	Northerly	Private	23	 161
Pearson ave.	Morrison ave.	Boston ave.	Public	45	1,279
Pearson rd.	Broadway	Dearborn rd.	Public	40	1,713
Pembroke ct.	Pembroke st.	Southwesterly	Private	25	 130
Pembroke	Central st.	Sycamore st.	Public	40	430
Penn. ave.	Broadway	Wisconsin ave.	Public	50	1,112
Penn. ave.	Wisconsin ave.	Cross st.	Public	40	350
Perkins pl.	Perkins st.	Northeasterly	Private	20	 200
Perkins	Franklin st.	Charlest'n line	Public	40	1,328
Perry	Washington st.	Lincoln pky.	Public	40	606
Peterson ter.	Porter st.	Olive ave.	Private	7.5	 155
Philips pl.	Spring st.	Westerly	Private	15+	 100
Pinckney pl.	Pinckney st.	Southeasterly	Private	24	 125
Pinckney	Washington st.	Perkins st.	Public	40	1,136
Pitman	Beech st.	Spring st.	Public	30	381
Pitman	Spring st.	Belmont st.	Private	26	 390
Pleasant ave.	Walnut st.	Vinal ave.	Public	40	543
Poplar ct.	Poplar st.	Southeasterly	Private	10	 80
Poplar	McGrath H'wy	Linwood st.	Public	30	326
Poplar	Linwood st.	Joy st.	Public	35	315
Porter ave.	Porter st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 220
Porter	Elm st.	Mountain ave.	Public	45	1,573
Porter	Mountain ave.	Highland ave.	Public	40	415
Powder House blvd.	Powder House sq.	Alewife Brook pky	Public	80	4,560
Pow. House ter.	Kidder ave.	Liberty ave.	Public	40	585
Prentiss	Beacon st.	Cambridge line	Private	35	 150
Prescott	Summer st.	Highland ave.	Public	50	1,102
Preston rd.	School st.	Summer st.	Public	40	839
Prichard ave.	Morrison ave.	Boston ave.	Public	40	1,151
Princeton	Alpine st.	Lowell st.	Public	40	648
Professors row	College ave.	Curtis st.	Public	40	2,000
Prospect	Washington st.	Cambridge line	Public	50	2,020
Prosp't Hill ave.	McGrath H'wy	Munroe st.	Public	40	548
Prosp't Hill pky	Munroe st.	Stone ave.	Public	40	400
Prospect pl.	Prospect st.	Newton st.	Private	20	 130
Puritan rd.	Ten Hills rd.	Shore drive	Public	40	1,344
Puritan rd.	Fellsway	Ten Hills rd. ex	State land	40	83
Putnam rd.	Ten Hills rd.	Shore drive	Public	40	1,141
Putnam	Summer st.	Highland ave.	Public	50	1,262
Quincy	Somerville ave.	Summer st.	Public	40	781
Radcliffe rd.	Walnut st.	Bradley st.	Public	35	392
Radcliffe rd.	Bradley st.	Marshall st.	Public	40	261
Randolph pl.	Cross st.	Westerly	Private	15	 244
Raymond ave.	Curtis st.	North st.	Public	40	1,347
Record ct.	Broadway	Southwesterly	Private	10	 110
Reed's ct.	Oliver st.	Southwesterly	Private	20	 71
Remick ct.	Cutter st.	Southeasterly	Private	10	 100
Rhode Is. ave.	Mystic ave.	Penn ave.	Public	40	460
Richardson	Lowell st.	Hinckley st.	Public	35	467
Richardson ter.	Richardson st.	Northeasterly	Private	20	 135
Richdale ave.	School st.	Sycamore st.	Public	40	875
Roberts	Hinckley st.	Northwesterly	Private	20	 170

Street	From	To	Public or Private	With in Feet	Length Public Private
Robinson	Central st.	Bartlett st.	Public	40	582
Rogers ave.	Morrison ave.	Boston ave.	Public	45	1,642
Roland	Waverly st.	Boston line	Private	40	100
Rose	Washington st.	Lewis st.	Public	40	450
Roseland	Beacon st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	121
Rossmore	Somerville ave.	Washington st.	Public	40	534
Royce pl.	Bonar st.	Northeasterly	Private	15+	175
Rush	Broadway	Flint st.	Public	40	1,406
Russell rd.	Broadway	N. line Hamil- ton rd.	Public	40	559
Russell rd.	N. line Hamil- ton rd.	Northerly	Private	40	75
Russell st.	Elm st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	742
Sacramento	Somerville ave.	Fitchburg R.R.	Public	40	80
Sacramento	Fitchburg R.R.	Beacon st.	Public	40	294
Sacramento	Beacon st.	Cambridge line	Public	40	154
Sanborn ave.	Warren ave.	Walnut st.	Public	40	278
Sanborn ct.	Washington st.	Northwesterly	Private	30	176
Sargent ave.	Broadway	Walnut st.	Public	40	1,069
Sartwell ave.	Cedar st.	Cherry st.	Public	35	427
Sawyer ave.	Packard ave.	Curtis st.	Private	40	690
School	Somerville ave.	Highland ave.	Public	40	1,869
School	Highland ave.	Broadway	Public	50	2,454
Sellon pl.	Marshall st.	Northwesterly	Private	12	120
Seven Pines ave.	Cameron ave.	Cambridge line	Public	40	92
Sewall ct.	Sewall st.	Southwesterly	Private	25	190
Sewall	Grant st.	Temple st.	Public	40	615
Shawmut	Washington st.	McGrath H'wy	Public	40	210
Shedd	Somerville ave.	Merriam st.	Private	40	310
†Sheridan ave.	Hooker ave.	Weston ave.	Private	40	688
Sherman ct.	Sargent ave.	Marshall st.	Private	10	250
Shore dr.	Mystic ave.	Fellsway	Public	50	2,081
Sibley ct.	Cutter st.	Northwesterly	Private	10	100
Sibley pl.	Cutter st.	Northwesterly	Private	10	100
Silvey pl.	Craigie st.	Lowell st.	Private	23+25	264
Simpson ave.	Broadway	Holland st.	Public	40	1,018
Skehan	Dane st.	Hanson st.	Public	30	306
Skehan	Hanson st.	Durham st.	Private	30	405
Skilton	Pearl st. around	to Pearl st.	Private	40	540
Smith ave.	Beacon st.	Line st.	Public	23	213
Snow ter.	Jaques st.	Southwesterly	Private	16	120
Somerville ave.	McGrath H'wy	Union sq.	Public	75	1,812
Somerville ave.	Union sq.	N. Camb. line	Public	70	6,729
South	Medford st.	Water st.	Public	30	959
Spencer ave.	Cedar st.	Hancock st.	Public	40	727
Spring	Somerville ave.	Summer st.	Public	40	1,220
Springfield	Concord ave.	Cambridge line	Public	40	788
Spring Hill ter.	Highland ave.	Belmont st.	Public	20	673
Stanford ter.	Beacon st.	Northeasterly	Private	20	200
Steeves cir.	Cherry st.	Easterly	Private	15	120
Sterling	North st.	Alewife Bk pky	Public	40	802
Stickney ave.	Marshall st.	School st.	Public	40	458
St. James ave.	Elm st.	Summer st.	Public	40	488
St. James ave. ext.	Summer st.	Northeasterly	Public	30	125
Stone ave.	Union sq.	Columbus ave.	Public	40	676
Stone ave.	Columbus ave.	Prospt Hill py.	Public	38	107
Stone pl.	Stone ave.	Southeasterly	Public	30	142
Strathmore rd.	Broadway	Medford line	Private	40	15
Sturtevant	Foley	Easterly	Public	40	995
Summer	Bow st.	Elm st.	Public	45	7,870
Summit ave.	Walnut st.	Vinal ave.	Public	45	532
Summit	College ave.	Billingham st.	Public	40	262
Sunnyside ave.	Walnut st.	Wigglesworth st	Public	25 to 35	306
Sunset rd.	Curtis st.	Hillsdale rd.	Public	40	656
Sycamore	Broadway	Medford st.	Public	45	1,245

† Proposed.

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	With in Feet	Length	
					Public	Private
Sycamore	Medford st.	B. & L. R.R.	Public	40	639	.....
Sycamore	B. & L. R.R.	Highland ave.	Public	35	722	.....
Sycamore	Sycamore st.	Northwesterly	Private	12	.....	130
Sydney	Grant st.	Temple st.	Public	40	679	.....
Talbot ave.	Packard ave.	College ave.	Private	50	.....	1,409
Taunton	Wyatt st.	East'y to angle	Private	30	.....	170
Taunton	Angle	Marion st.	Private	20	.....	95
Taylor pl.	Somerville ave.	Southerly	Private	15	.....	200
Taylor	Mystic ave.	Sydney st.	Public	40	309	.....
Teale ave.	Packard ave.	Curtis st.	Public	40	655	.....
Temple rd.	Mystic ave.	Shore drive	Public	40	1,420	.....
Temple	Broadway	Mystic ave.	Public	66	1,628	.....
Ten Hills rd.	Bailey rd.	Shore drive	Public	25-40	1,886	.....
Tenney ct.	Mystic ave.	Northeasterly	Private	30	.....	400
Tennyson	Forster st.	Pembroke st.	Public	40	869	.....
Thorndike	Holland st.	Kingston st.	Public	40	584	.....
Thorndike	Underpass	B. & M. R.R. Arlington Br.	Public	20	88	.....
Thorpe	Highland ave.	Southwesterly	Public	30	468	.....
Thurston	Broadway	Richdale ave.	Public	40	1,689	.....
Timmins pl.	Dane st.	Westerly	Private	3.5	.....	97
Tower ct.	Tyler st.	Northeasterly	Private	25	.....	150
Tower	Crown st.	Highland ave.	Public	40	559	.....
Tremont pl.	Tremont st.	Southeasterly	Private	about 10	.....	75
Tremont	Webster ave.	Cambridge line	Public	40	589	.....
Trull	Vernon st.	Medford st.	Public	40	1,050	.....
Trull Lane	Highland ave.	Oxford st.	Private	15	.....	200
Tufts pky.	College ave.	College ave.	Public	22	900	.....
Tufts	Washington st.	Cross st.	Public	40	982	.....
Turner ct.	Franklin st.	Westerly	Private	20	.....	150
Tyler	Vine st.	Dane st.	Public	40	404	.....
Union	Broadway	Mystic ave.	Public	40	362	.....
Union pl.	Linwood st.	Southwesterly	Private	10	.....	100
Upland pk.	Main st.	Southwesterly	Private	20	.....	175
Upland rd.	Curtis st.	Hillsdale rd.	Public	40	655	.....
Vermont ave.	Mystic ave.	Penn. ave.	Public	40	433	.....
Vernon	Central st.	Glenwood rd.	Public	40	764	.....
Vernon	Glenwood rd.	Partridge av.	Public	40 to 30	190	.....
Vernon	Partridge ave.	Lowell st.	Public	30	434	.....
Victoria	Broadway	Cambridge line	Public	40	1,036	.....
Villa ave.	Winslow ave.	Arl'ton Br R.R.	Private	35	.....	200
Village	Dane st.	Vine st.	Private	25	.....	370
Village ter.	Village st.	Northeasterly	Private	10+	.....	110+
Vinal ave.	Summer st.	Highland ave.	Public	45	1,425	.....
Vinal	Richardson st.	Northeasterly	Private	19	.....	200
Vine ct.	Vine st.	Northwesterly	Private	25	.....	140
Vine	Somerville ave.	Fitchburg R.R.	Public	40	540	.....
Vine	Fitchburg R.R.	Hanson st.	Private	40	.....	222
Vine	Hanson st.	Beacon st.	Public	30	662	.....
Virginia	Aldrich st.	Jasper st.	Public	40	403	.....
Wade ct.	Cedar st.	Westerly	Private	20	.....	116
Waldo ave.	Beacon st.	Dimick st.	Public	40	277	.....
Waldo	Highland ave.	Hudson st.	Public	40	287	.....
Walker	Broadway	Leonard st.	Public	40	713	.....
Wallace	Holland st.	Broadway	Public	40	1,342	.....
Walnut	Bow st.	Broadway	Public	40	3,753	.....
Walnut rd.	Walnut st.	Kenneson rd.	Public	40	270	.....
Walter ter.	Jackson rd.	Southwesterly	Public	40	222	.....
Ward	Medford st.	Harding st.	Public	30	433	.....
Ware	Curtis st.	Russell rd.	Public	40	735	.....
Warner	Pow. House sq.	Medford line	Public	60	500	.....
Warren ave.	Union sq.	Columbus ave.	Public	40	663	.....
Warren	Medford st.	Cambridge line	Public	30 to 40	109	.....

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public or Private	With in Feet	Length Public Private
Warwick	Cedar st.	Clyde st.	Public	30-40	935
Washington ave.	Washington st.	Northerly	Private	18	 350
Washington pl.	Washington st.	Southerly	Private	about 7.5	 114
Washington	Charlest'n line	Franklin ave.	Public	75	1,060
Washington	Franklin ave.	Fitchburg R.R.	Public	60 to 100	4,009
Washington	Fitchburg R.R.	Cambridge line	Public	60	2,272
Washington ter.	Washington st.	Northerly	Private	30-40	 218
Washington ter.	End of above	Westerly and Easterly	Private	40	 269
Water	South st.	Northerly	Public	25	366
Waterhouse	Broadway	Cambridge line	Public	40	987
Watson	Broadway	Fairmount ave.	Public	40	236
Waverly	Washington st.	Roland st.	Private	35	 200
Webster ave.	Union sq.	Cambridge line	Public	49.5	1,880
Webster	Franklin st.	Cross st.	Public	40	997
Wellington ave.	Walnut st.	Montgomery av.	Public	40	215
Wellington ave.	Montgomery av.	Easterly	Private	40	 85
Wesley pk.	Wesley sq.	Northeasterly	Public	40	403
Wesley	Pearl st.	Otis st.	Public	40	515
West	Hawthorne st.	Highland ave.	Public	30	192
West	Highland ave.	Arl'ton Br R.R.	Private	30	 266
West Adams	Conwell ave.	Medford line	Public	40	710
Westminster	Broadway	Electric ave.	Public	40	376
Weston ave.	Clarendon ave.	Broadway	Private	40	 525
West Quincy	Bailey st.	Medford line	Public	40	292
Westwood rd.	Central st.	Benton rd.	Public	40	489
Wheatland	Broadway	Mystic ave.	Public	40	1,325
Wheeler	Pinckney st.	Mt. Vernon st.	Public	40	269
Whipple	Willow ave.	Highland ave.	Private	30	 431
White	Elm st.	Cambridge line	Public	.....	307
White st. pl.	White st.	Southeasterly	Private	20	 200
Whitfield rd.	Packard ave.	Curtis st.	Public	40	687
Whitman	Mason st.	Packard ave.	Public	40	632
Wigglesworth	Pearl st.	Bonair st.	Public	40	744
William	College ave.	Chandler st.	Public	40	381
William	Broadway	Medford line	Private	50	 50
Williams ct.	Porter st.	Northwesterly	Private	30	 154
Willoughby	Central st.	Sycamore st.	Public	40	427
Willow ave.	Elm st.	Broadway	Public	50	3,450
Willow pl.	Cambridge line	South st.	Public	25	125
Wilson ave.	Broadway	B. & L. R.R.	Public	20	307
Wilton	Lowell st.	Hinckley st.	Public	35	415
Winchester	Broadway	Medford line	Private	40	 65
Windom	Elm st.	Summer st.	Public	40	300
Windsor rd.	Willow ave.	Hancock st.	Public	40	575
Windsor	Cambridge line	Northerly	Public	40	40
Windsor	End of above	Fitchburg R.R.	Public	27	490
Winslow ave.	College ave.	Clifton st.	Public	40	1,087
Winter	College ave.	Holland st.	Public	30	402
Winter Hill cir.	Broadway	Northeasterly	Private	25	 177
Wisconsin ave.	Broadway	Penn. ave.	Public	50	499
Woodbine	Centre st.	Westerly	Private	30	 461
Woodbine Ex.	End of above	Lowell st.	Private	35	 212
Woods ave.	North st.	Alewife Bk pky	Public	40	1,152
Woodstock	Victoria st.	Alewife brook	Public	40 to 32	361
Wyatt cir.	Wyatt st. around	Wyatt st.	Private	20	 315
Wyatt	Concord ave.	Lincoln pky	Public	40	505
Yorktown	Cambridge line	N. E. line			
	Malvern ave.	Malvern ave.	Public	40	294
Yorktown	N. E. line	Northerly	Private	40	 110

† Sidewalk in Somerville.

Table Showing the Location, Length and Width of Public and Private Streets—Continued

Street	From	To	Public	With	Length	
			or Private	in Feet	Public	Private
Court	39 Adams st.	Southeasterly	Private	8	.....	90
Court	Albion st.	Central st.	Private	12	.....	216
Court	11 Albion st.	Northeasterly	Private	9	.....	178
Court	21 Albion st.	Northeasterly	Private	10	.....	100
Court	292 Broadway	Southwesterly	Private	15	.....	90
Court	612 Broadway	Southwesterly	Private	20	.....	188
Court	Buena Vista rd.	Easterly	Private	15	.....	145
Court	Cambria st.	Northerly	Private	9	.....	59
Court	12 Carlton st.	Southeasterly	Private	25	.....	75
Court	112 Central st.	Northwesterly	Private	10	.....	168
Court	113 Central st.	Southeasterly	Private	20	.....	150
Court	227 Columbia st.	Northwesterly	Private	10	.....	117
Court	Conlon ct.	Windsor st. ex.	Private	20	.....	240
Court	36 Craigie st.	Westerly	Private	25	.....	126
Court	58 Dane st.	Easterly	Private	10	.....	70
Court	20 Dimick st.	Southwesterly	Private	39.25	.....	136
Court	91 Franklin st.	Westerly	Private	12	.....	171
Court	35 Lexington av.	Northerly	Private	21	.....	90
Court	66 Lowell st.	Westerly	Private	25	.....	101
Court	101 Medford st.	Easterly	Private	8	.....	75
Court	335 Somerville ave.	Northerly	Private	15	.....	60
Court	10 Stone ave.	Northwesterly	Private	20	.....	113
Court	Windsor st.	E'ly and W'ly	Private	20	.....	370
Court	Irvington rd.	Boston ave.	Private	20	.....	157
Total				475,226	54,622	

Public, 90.288 miles [includes 1.406 miles of City Boulevard and Park Roadways, 2.331 miles of State Boulevard (Metropolitan Park Commission), and 0.98 miles State Highway]; private 10.804 miles.

Total length of streets in the city, 101.092 miles.

**TABLE SHOWING OLD NAMES OF CERTAIN STREETS AS
FORMERLY KNOWN**

Present Name of Street	Former Names by Which Street Has Been Known
Aberdeen road	Gurney street
Addison place	Tube Works court
Albion street	{ Franklin street Forest avenue or street (easterly end) Hobbs street
Aldrich street	{ Ruby street Eglantine street
Ash avenue	Minnie avenue
Ashland street	Maple street
Atherton street	Beech street (westerly end)
Avon place	{ Middle lane Barberry lane Cross lane
Bartlett street (Wd. 5) ...	Earle street
Beacon place	Taggard court
Beacon street	{ Road to West Cambridge Middlesex turnpike Hampshire street
Beech street	Oak street
Benedict avenue	Lovell street
Benton road	Benton avenue
Berwick road	Holland street
Bigelow street	{ High street D street
Bond street	Park street
Bonner avenue	{ Bonner place Warren avenue
Boston ave. (s'th'y end) ..	{ Southwick avenue Cypress street Orange street
Boston street	A street
Bow street	{ Charlestown lane Milk Row road Milk row
Broadway	{ Road to Menotomy Menotomy road Medford road Road from Menotomy to Boston Medford road over Winter hill Great road from Charlestown to Menotomy Winter Hill road or street West Cambridge road Charlestown road Broadway street Main street
Butler drive	Ten Hills street
Calvin street	Dimick street
Cameron avenue	Cameron street
Carlton street	Bow street

Present Name of Street	Former Names by Which Street Has Been Known
	Rangeway
	Seventh rangeway
	Rangeway to Medford
Cedar street	Second rangeway from Central street
	Leland street
	Rose lane
	Milk lane
	Fifth rangeway
	Tufts rangeway
Central street	Rangeway from Winter hill to Milk row
	Centre street
	Old road
	Rand's lane
Centre street	Forest place
Charles Ryan road	City road
	Chester street
Chester avenue	Middle lane
	Cross lane
	Barberry lane
Church street	New Church street
Claremon street	Carmel street
	Claremont street
Cleveland street	Elm place
Clifton street	Appleton street
College avenue	Elm s ^t . (Davis sq. to Powder House sq.)
Columbia street	Glass House court (westerly end)
	Highland street
	Warren avenue
Columbus avenue	Probation path
	Windham road (southeasterly end)
	Brick Yard lane (Newton st. to Beacon st.)
Concord avenue	Lincoln street (Beacon street easterly)
	Garden street (Beacon street easterly)
Cooney street	Hanson lane
Cottage avenue	Cottage place
Crescent street	Mt. Vernon street
	Second rangeway (B'way to Medford st.)
Cross street	Runey's lane
	Three Pole lane
Crown street	Rand street
	Pleasant avenue
Curtis avenue	Mt. Pleasant avenue
	Second rangeway
Curtis street	South street
Cutter avenue	Russell street
Dane avenue	Dane court
Dane street	Union street
Dartmouth street	Fruit street
Dearborn road	Professors row (College ave. to Boston ave.)
	Temple street
Derby street	Winthrop street

Present Name of Street	Former Names by Which Street Has Been Known
Dickinson street	John street
Dimick street	{ Rollins street (southeasterly end) Calvin street
Dover street	Willow street
Dow street	Weare street
Dynamo street	Howard street
Eastman road	Eastman terrace or place
Elm court	Elm street
Elm street	{ Charlestown lane Milk lane Road from Medford to Cambridge Road from Medford to Cambridge over Quarry hill Powder House road Milk row or road Cambridge road
Elmwood street	{ Elmwood avenue Davis street
Emery street	Harding street
Eustis street	Eustis court
Everett avenue	Everett street
Evergreen square	Cutter square or place
Fairlee street	Graham street
Fanning avenue	Dexter street
Fellsway east	Winthrop avenue
Fellsway west	Chauncey avenue or street
Fenwick street	Thurston street
Flint avenue	Runey place
Flint street	Runey street (Cross street to Aldrich street)
Forster street	{ Linwood street Federal street
Franklin street	{ First rangeway Second poleway Two Pole lane
Fremont street	Tremont street
Giles park	Giles place
Gilman street	{ Cross-street place Clarendon street
Gilson terrace	Gilson park
Glendale avenue	Holmes street
Glenwood road	Jenny Lind avenue
Gould avenue	Gould court
Greenville street	C street
Hamilton road	Russell road
Hammond street	{ Dickinson place Benefit street
Hancock street	{ Gordonian rd. (Summer st. to Highland ave.) Fanning avenue (Highland avenue to Lexington avenue)
Harding street	Rideout street
Harrison street (Wd. 6)	Ivaloo place
Harvard place	Chestnut street or court

Present Name of Street	Former Names by Which Street Has Been Known
Hawkins street	{ Hawkins court Milton street
Hawthorne street	{ Graves street Evans or Evon street
Henry avenue	Ayer street
Highland avenue	{ Middle lane Cross lane Barberry lane Church street (Medford street to Central street)
Highland road	{ Dale avenue Ayer avenue
Hillside park	Marritt or Marrett place
Hinckley street	Lawrence street (southerly end)
Holland street	New street to Arlington
Ivaloo street	{ Auburn court Wood street
Jackson road	Walter street
Jaques street	Bond street (Temple street to Bond street)
Josephine avenue	Arnold street
Kensington avenue	{ Kensington street Kenilworth avenue
Kingman road	{ Kingman court or street Warren avenue or street
Kingston street	Campbell park (angle to Cambridge line)
Lake street	Hawkins court
Langmaid avenue	West street
Lesley avenue	Alton street
Lexington avenue	Lexington street
Lincoln avenue	George street
Linden avenue	{ Brackett's row Leland street
Line street	Lynde street
Linwood street	Linden street
London street	Lowell street
Lowell street	{ Rangeway Old rangeway Sixth rangeway Charles Adams' rangeway White street Highland road
Main street	{ Road from Medford to Boston Medford road
Malvern avenue	Hollis street
Maple avenue	Parterre square
Maple street	Jackson street
Marion street	{ Cook st. (Adrian st. to north of Wyatt st.) Harcourt st. (North Wyatt st. to Dimick st.)
McGrath Highway	{ No. traffic artery, parts Somerville ave., Medford st., Shawmut st., Aldrich st., Dana st., Edmands st., Fellsway east, Winthrop ave.

Present Name of Street	Former Names by Which Street Has Been Known
Meacham road	{ Meacham street Brooks street
Medford street	{ Road from Medford to Lechmere point Road from Canal bridge to Medford New rd. from Medford to Cambridge bridge Craigie's road to Medford Road to Medford Craigie road Gore street (easterly end)
Merriam street	Myrtle street
Miller street	Pierce's court
Milton street	Mason avenue
Monmouth street	{ York terrace (easterly end) Chestnut street Chestnut court (westerly end) Harvard place
Moreland street	Brooks street (Main st. to Meacham st.)
Morrison avenue	Morrison street
Munroe street	{ Prospect street Mt. Pisgah avenue High street B street
Myrtle street	Warren street
Mystic avenue	Mystic turnpike or road
Mystic street (Wd. 2)	Myrtle street
Newton street	{ Way by Bullard's bridge Road to Cambridgeport Brick Yard lane
North street	{ Proprietor's way Cook's lane Third rangeway
North Union street	Canal street
Norwood avenue	Magoun street
Oakland avenue	Oakman avenue
Oliver Street	Broom street
Oxford street	{ High street (westerly end) Trull street
Park street	{ Baldwin street Snowhill street
Paulina street	James street
Pearson avenue	Orient street
Perkins street	Proprietor's way (part)
Perry street	North Wyatt street
Pitman street	Walnut street
Poplar street	Walnut street (Linwood street to Joy st.)
Powder House boulevard	Barnett street (North street easterly)
Prentiss street	Harris street
Preston road	Preston street
Pritchard avenue	Orient street
Prospect Hill avenue	Cross street
Prospect street	{ Road from Cambridgeport to Charlestown Pine street

Present Name of Street	Former Names by Which Street Has Been Known
Radcliffe road	{ Veazie street Hawes avenue
Richardson street	Appleton street (Lowell street westerly)
Sacramento street	Union street
Sargent avenue	Mills street (Walnut street to angle)
Sartwell avenue	{ Chestnut street Maple street
Sawyer avenue	Sawyer street
School street	{ Fourth rangeway Ireland's lane (Somerville ave. northerly)
Seven Pines avenue	Stiles street
Sewall street	Heath street
Shawmut street	{ Three Pole lane Second rangeway
	{ Charlestown lane (Union sq. westerly) Milk Row road (Union sq. westerly) Milk row (Union square westerly)
Somerville avenue	{ Kent's street (Union square westerly) Road from West Camb. to Charlestown County road Bridge street Milk street
Spring court	Spring Hill court
Spring street	Spring Hill street
St. James avenue	Melburn place
Sycamore street	Lyceum street
Sycamore terrace	Chapel court
Teele avenue	Teele street
Temple street	Derby lane or street
Thorpe street	Thorpe place
Vernon street	{ Taylor street Euston street
Virginia street	Eglantine avenue
Walnut street	{ Third rangeway Hazeltine's lane
Warner street	Elm street
Warwick street	Angle northerly Warwick place
	{ Highway to Newtowne Road from Cambridge to Charlestown Road to old Cambridge
Washington street	{ Road from the colleges to Charlestown Charlestown road Milk row (Charlestown to Union square) Kirkland street (Union sq. to Cambridge) Cambridge st. (Union sq. to Charlestown)
Water street	Willow street
Webster avenue	Medford street
Webster street	{ Lime street Sullivan street
Wesley park	Hawkins park
Wesley street	Prince street
Wheatland street	{ Walnut street New Walnut street

Present Name of Street	Former Names by Which Street Has Been Known
Whipple street	{ Dynamo street Howard street
White street	{ Cottage street Maple street
White-street place	{ Cottage court Rangeway
Willow avenue	{ Eighth rangeway Irving street
Winchester street	{ Willow street Charles street
Windsor road	{ Minot street Willow Dale street
Wyatt street	Wyatt's lane
Yorktown street	Albro street
Ball square	
Central square	Prescott square
Concord square	
Cutter square	Russell square
Davis square	Clarendon square
Gerrior square	{ Metropolitan square Post Office square
Gilman square	
Homer square	
Magoun square	Pollard square
Powder House square	Tufts square
Teele square	Russell square
Union square	
Wesley square	
Wilson square	Oak square

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